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SPECIAL  
WHITE BOSTON  
LETTUCE

**MILFORD, CONN.**

U. S. Department of Agriculture - Vegetable Seed Trade - 1930





## WHERE THE GOOD SEEDS COME FROM

This is a recent photograph of our main office and warehouse at Milford, Connecticut. It was built in 1912, and additions were made in 1922 and 1928. Our business has increased, *and good seeds did it.*

We also operate growing stations and warehouses in Vermont, Illinois, Maine, Texas, Wyoming, Washington and California. These branches are in charge of experts and under the personal supervision of a member of our firm.

Our warehouse is only a stone's throw from the Boston Post Road in Milford, and we hope you will stop and look it over if you pass through Milford.



## "From Grower To Planter Direct"

We specialize in producing fine strains for the Market Gardening trade. In this connection we especially recommend our

WONDERFUL CELERY

SPECIAL SCARLET GLOBE RADISH

CHANTENAY CARROT

SPECIAL SAVOY CABBAGE

HAMBURG PARSLEY

EXTRA EARLY YELLOW ONION

ITALIAN BROCCOLI

HYBRID CUCUMBER

JAPANESE ONION SETS

COLOSSAL PEPPER



**For Seeds, Plants, Bulbs, Onion Sets, Seed Potatoes, Etc.**

Date .....	Acknowledged .....
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	TOTAL \$.....
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DO NOT WRITE LETTERS ON THIS SHEET

You will find our Early Wonder Beet and Wonderful Celery  
the Greatest Leaders of Their Kind Known

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Include the name and address of a few seed planters with your order and we will include extra seeds to pay for the favor

# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### SUGGESTIONS TO CUSTOMERS IN ORDERING

STATE HOW YOU WANT SEEDS SHIPPED, EXPRESS OR FREIGHT.

**Order Early:** Our rush comes in March and April. Orders sent early secure prompt service from full stocks.

**Use Our Order Sheet:** Write your order on our order sheet, written plainly, and if shipping station is different from post office make it known in place indicated. Do not write letters on order sheet.

**Remit:** By Post Office Money Order, Express Money Order. Checks received from parties of established credit; make all papers payable to F. H. Woodruff & Sons.

**Our Terms:** Are strictly cash with order. We prefer not to send C. O. D., but if so desired customers should enclose one-fourth of the amount in remittance with order.

**Our Responsibility:** We wish it understood that all our seeds are sold under the following non-warranty:

**We give no Warranty,** express or implied, as to the contents or the description, quality, productiveness or any other matter of any seeds, bulbs, plants, shrubs or trees sold by us, and we will not be in any way responsible for the crop.

Where germination is given it is the results of our tests at the time taken and not guaranteed.

### QUANTITY OF SEED REQUIRED TO PRODUCE A GIVEN NUMBER OF PLANTS AND SOW AN ACRE:

	Per Acre. Quantity		Quantity Per Acre.
Asparagus, 1 oz. to 800 plants.....	1 lb.	Kale, 1 oz. to 3,000 plants.....	.8 ozs.
Asparagus Roots, 4 x 1 ft.....	10,000	Kohl Rabi, 1 oz. to 300 feet of drill.....	4 lbs.
Barley .....	120 lbs.	Leek, 1 oz. to 200 feet of drill.....	4 lbs.
Beans, Dwarf, 1 lb. to 100 feet of drill.....	90 lbs.	Lettuce, 1 oz. to 120 feet of drill.....	4 to 5 lbs.
Beans, Pole, 1 lb. to 100 hills.....	30 lbs.	Melon, Musk, 1 oz. to 80 hills.....	3 lbs.
Beans, Bush Limas, in drills.....	120 lbs.	Melon, Water, 1 oz. to 25 hills.....	5 lbs.
Beet, Garden, 1 oz. to 50 feet of drill.....	.8 to 10 lbs.	Nasturtium, 1 oz. to 50 feet of drill.....	15 lbs.
Beet, Mangel, 1 oz. to 50 feet of drill.....	6 lbs.	Oats .....	64 lbs.
Broccoli, 1 oz. to 3,000 plants.....	4 ozs.	Okra, 1½ ozs. to 100 feet of drill.....	.8 lbs.
Brussels Sprouts, 1 oz. to 3,000 plants.....	4 ozs.	Onion Seed, 1 oz. to 200 feet of drill.....	.6 lbs.
Buckwheat .....	25 lbs.	Onion Seed, for Sets.....	.65 to 70 lbs.
Cabbage, 1 oz. to 3,000 plants.....	4 ozs.	Onion Sets, 1 lb. to 100 feet of drill.....	20 bu.
Carrot, 1 oz. to 100 feet of drill.....	.5 to 6 lbs.	Parsnip, 1 oz. to 200 feet of drill.....	.6 to 8 lbs.
Cauliflower, 1 oz. to 3,000 plants.....	4 ozs.	Parsley, 1 oz. to 150 feet of drill.....	.8 lbs.
Celery, 1 oz. to 7,000 plants.....	4 ozs.	Peas, Garden, 1 lb. to 100 feet of drill.....	150 lbs.
Chicory .....	12 lbs.	Peas, Field .....	120 lbs.
Clover, Alsike and White Dutch.....	6 lbs.	Pepper, 1 oz. to 1,500 plants.....	.3 ozs.
Clover, Lucerne, Large Red, Crimson Trefoil.....	8 lbs.	Potatoes, Cut Tubers.....	12 to 15 bu.
Clover, Medium.....	12 lbs.	Pumpkin, 1 lb. to 250 hills.....	.6 to 7 lbs.
Clover, Alfalfa.....	20 lbs.	Radish, 1 oz. to 100 feet of drill.....	12 to 15 lbs.
Corn, Sweet, ¼ lb. to 100 hills.....	12 lbs.	Rape (Broadcast) .....	.6 lbs.
Cress, ½ oz. to 100 feet of drill.....	10 lbs.	Rye .....	.60 to 90 lbs.
Cucumber, 1 oz. to 50 hills.....	3 lbs.	Salsify, 1 oz. to 150 feet of drill.....	10 lbs.
Dandelion .....	.6 to 8 lbs.	Sorrel, for Salad .....	10 to 15 lbs.
Dill .....	8 lbs.	Spinach, 1 oz. to 100 feet of drill.....	.15 to 20 lbs.
Egg Plant, 1 oz. to 2,000 plants.....	4 ozs.	Spinach, Broadcast .....	.30 to 35 lbs.
Endive, 1 oz. to 300 feet of drill.....	4½ lbs.	Summer Savory, 1 packet to 100 feet of drill.....	¾ lbs.
Grass, Blue, Kentucky.....	20 lbs.	Squash, Summer, 1 oz. to 50 hills.....	4 lbs.
Grass, Blue, English.....	14 lbs.	Squash, Winter, 1 oz. to 25 hills.....	.5 lbs.
Grass, Hungarian Millet.....	25 lbs.	Tomato, 1 oz. to 2,500 plants.....	4 ozs.
Grass, Mixed Lawn, 1 lb. to 200 sq. ft.....	200 lbs.	Turnip, 1 oz. to 250 feet of drill.....	1½ lbs.
Grass, Orchard, Perennial Rye, Red Top, Fowl....	30 lbs.	Vetches .....	120 lbs.
Grass, Red Top, Fancy Clean.....	.8 to 10 lbs.	Wheat .....	75 lbs.
Grass, Timothy .....	15 lbs.		



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*Milford, Connecticut*

## ASPARAGUS

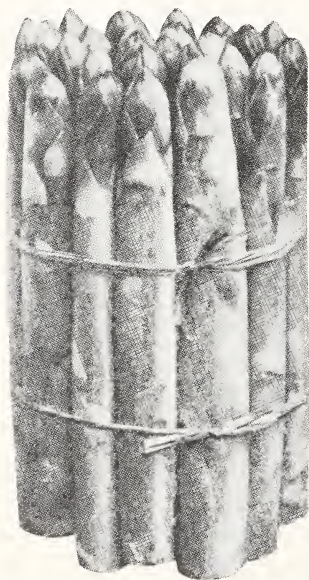
**CONOVER'S COLOSSAL** One of the large, popular, green varieties; stalks bright green, often tinged purple at the top, of tender, fine quality.

**PALMETTO** An early maturing and prolific variety, with thick dark green shoots, pointed at the tip. This is the most popular seller of the asparagus family.

**BARR'S MAMMOTH** Stalks are large and tender, nearly an inch in diameter, retaining their thickness well to the top, having close round heads, and few scales.

**MARTHA WASHINGTON** This variety is the result of careful breeding by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., with the object of eliminating rust. It produces large straight shoots of a dark green color. The tips are tight and firm and do not open out or begin to branch until well out of the ground; a very valuable feature.

**MARY WASHINGTON** A selection from Martha Washington, being earlier and a little more vigorous. Stalks slightly oval in shape and of fine quality.



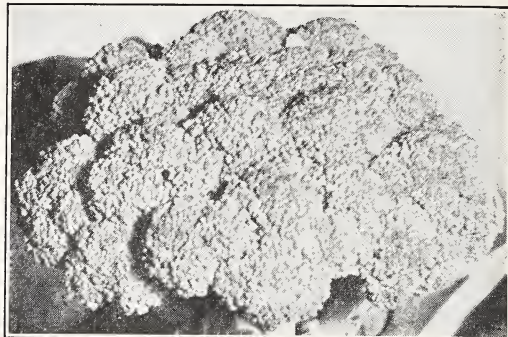
## ASPARAGUS ROOTS

We can supply strong two-year old roots, proper size for setting.

**CONOVER'S COLOSSAL, BARR'S MAMMOTH and PALMETTO.**

**MARTHA WASHINGTON**

**MARY WASHINGTON**



**Special Italian Broccoli**

## BROCCOLI OR ITALIAN CAULIFLOWER

The cultivation of Broccoli is the same as for Cauliflower which it very much resembles.

**SPECIAL ITALIAN** Heads compact, of a good size, and most certain to head.

Our superior strain of Italian Broccoli costs more than some stocks but it has proven to be the best strain and money-maker of any Broccoli on the market and is grown especially for our very critical trade.

**CHRISTMAS CALABRESE** A green sprouting variety, slightly later than our Special Italian.

## BRUSSELS SPROUTS

**PARIS MARKET** A half dwarf strain bearing a large crop of handsome hard sprouts.

**SPECIAL LONG ISLAND** A fancy strain for the critical grower, grown on Long Island by an expert especially for us.

	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
<b>BROCCOLI</b>				
Special Italian .....	.25	2.00	7.50	25.00
Christmas Calabrese ..	.20	1.25	4.00	15.00
<b>BRUSSELS SPROUTS</b>				
Paris Market .....	.10	.50	1.50	4.50
Special Long Island ..	.25	1.75	7.50	25.00
<b>ASPARAGUS SEED</b>				
Conover's Colossal..	.05	.10	.25	.90
Barr's Mammoth...	.05	.10	.25	.90
Palmetto .....	.05	.10	.25	.90
Martha Washington ..	.10	.15	.40	1.50
Mary Washington..	.10	.15	.40	1.50
<b>ASPARAGUS ROOTS</b>			<b>Per 100</b>	<b>Per 1000</b>
Conover's Colossal.....		1.25		10.00
Barr's Mammoth .....		1.25		10.00
Palmetto .....		1.25		10.00
Martha Washington .....		1.50		12.00
Mary Washington .....		1.50		12.00

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## BEANS—DWARF GREEN SORTS

Beans weigh 60 lbs. per bushel

**BLACK VALENTINE** Black seed, round pod. Early, prolific and good shipper, becomes stringy with age.

**TENNESSEE GREEN POD** Pods 5 to 5½ inches, flat and irregular in shape. Light green and of good quality. Has a string.

**BOUNTIFUL** Yellow seed, flat pod, stringless and fine quality. Big yielder.

**EARLY SIX WEEKS** Yellow seed, flat pods. Has a string.

**EARLY RED VALENTINE** Crimson seed, round pod, slightly curved. Has a string.

**EX. EARLY REFUGEE** Purple seed, round straight pod, tender quality.

**LONGFELLOW** Seed small, blotched red. Round curved pods.

**REFUGEE 1,000 to 1** Seed purple splashed with tan. Round pods. Very prolific. Has a string.

**STRINGLESS REFUGEE, GREEN** A new bean, having the yielding qualities of 1,000 to 1 and an absolutely stringless pod. Most popular canning sort.

**BURPEE'S STRINGLESS GREEN POD** Seed dark brown, round pods of fine quality.

**GIANT STRINGLESS GREEN POD** Seed yellowish brown, round pod, big yielder, fine quality.

**FRENCH HORTICULTURAL** Seed tan colored, streaked with carmine. Long flat pods, highly colored. Free from rust and blight. Vines throw some runners, but it is a bush bean.

## BAKING VARIETIES

**LARGE WHITE MARROW** Seed white egg-shaped.

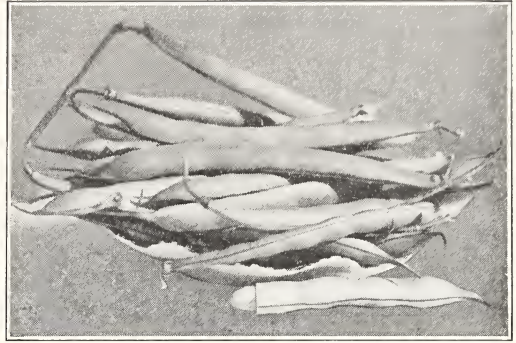
**WHITE MEDIUM or SNOW FLAKE** Seed small white.

**WHITE KIDNEY** Seed kidney-shape and white.

**RED KIDNEY** Seed brick red kidney-shape.

**YELLOW EYE** Seed round, white with yellow eye.

Do not fail to try Improved Kidney Wax beans listed on Page 4.



Bountiful

**DWARF HORTICULTURAL** Seed light yellow splashed with carmine. Ten days earlier than French Horticultural, not as high colored pod. Stringless.

**LOWE'S CHAMPION** Seed large and red. Wide meaty flat pods, stringless and tender quality.

**FULL MEASURE** One of the newer sorts. Early, with long round pods, bright green in color and entirely stringless. Destined when better known to become one of the most popular sorts.

DWARF GREEN BEANS	Lb.	15 lbs.	60 lbs.
Black Valentine .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Tenn. Green Pod .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Bountiful .....	.35	4.75	18.00
Early Six Weeks .....	.35	4.50	16.00
Early Red Valentine ....	.30	3.75	12.00
Ex. Early Refugee .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Longfellow .....	.35	4.50	15.00
Refugee 1000-1 .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Stringless Refugee Green.	Sold Out		
Burpee's Stringless Green	.30	4.00	14.00
Giant Stringless Green...	.30	4.00	14.00
French Horticultural ....	.35	4.75	18.00
Dwarf Horticultural ....	.30	4.00	14.00
Lowe's Champion .....	.35	4.50	15.00
Full Measure .....	.35	4.50	15.00

## BAKING VARIETIES

Large White Marrow ....	.20	2.50	9.00
White Medium .....	.20	2.50	9.00
White Kidney .....	.20	2.75	9.50
Red Kidney .....	.20	2.75	9.50
Yellow Eye .....	.20	2.50	9.00



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## BEANS—DWARF WAX SORTS

Please bear in mind that we are quoting all bean seed on the pound basis, and a bushel of beans weigh 60 lbs. Our bean seed is carried in stock in sacks of 120 lbs., or 2 bushels. You will facilitate the handling of your order if you will order in units of 120 lbs., when large lots are ordered.

**WARDWELL'S KIDNEY WAX** Seed kidney shaped with purple about the eye. Pods flat, stringless and handsome.

**BOUNTIFUL WAX** Seed black, kidney shape. Pods flat, slightly on the oval and absolutely stringless.

**DAVIS KIDNEY WAX** Seed white kidney-shape. Pods flat. Productive bean but becomes tough with age.

**CURRIES RUST PROOF WAX** Seed purplish black, flat pods. Matures early.

**SURE CROP WAX** Seed black; long, flat pods. Similar to Curries, except it is better quality, more hardy and stringless.

**UNRIVALLED WAX** Showy flat pods, long and rather narrow. Some perfectly straight and a few slightly curved. Somewhat flattened but inclined to be of the fleshy type. Pods show a clear yellow color at a very early stage. While having a slight trace of string, quality may be considered fine and the plant nearly disease resistant. We recommend this bean very highly.

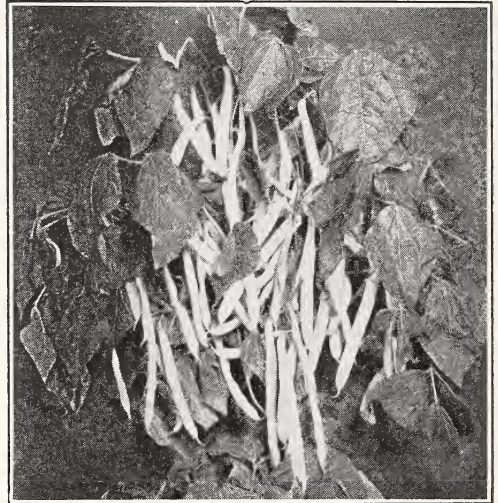
**IMPROVED GOLDEN WAX** White seed splashed with purple. Pods medium in length, good quality. Stringless.

**HODSON WAX** Late maturing, very prolific, long straight flat pods. Slightly stringy with age.

**PENCIL POD BLACK WAX** Seed long and black. Round pods, clear yellow color, stringless and fine quality.



Improved Kidney Wax  
(59 Pods on One Vine)



Sure Crop Wax

**STRINGLESS REFUGEE WAX** Pods round, fine quality, very prolific and late in maturity.

**ROUND POD KIDNEY WAX** Round pods, long, stringless, and tender.

**IMPROVED KIDNEY WAX** Long, semi-round pods, slightly curved. Nice quality. Stringless and tender. We consider this one of the finest wax pod varieties, being unusually free from strings, and a very heavy yielder.

**WEBBER WAX or CRACKER JACK** Very early flat podded bean. Free from rust and a big cropper.

**ROYAL PURPLE WAX** A purple seeded bean similar to Improved Golden Wax.

	Lb.	15 lbs.	60 lbs.
Wardwell's Kidney Wax..	.30	3.75	12.00
Bountiful Wax .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Davis Kidney Wax .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Currie's Rust Proof Wax	.35	4.50	15.00
Sure Crop Wax .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Unrivalled Wax .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Imp. Golden Wax .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Hodson Wax .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Pencil Pod Black Wax...	.30	3.75	12.00
Round Pod Kidney Wax.	.30	4.00	14.00
Improved Kidney Wax..	.30	3.75	12.00
Webber Wax or Cracker Jack .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Royal Purple Wax.....	.30	3.75	12.00



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## BEANS — BUSH LIMAS

60 Pounds per Bushel

**FORDHOOK BUSH LIMA** The most popular bush lima in existence. Unquestionably the best. Pods grow in clusters of four to eight, well filled with beans of fine quality.

**BURPEE'S IMPROVED BUSH** Large plump bean, medium early.

**BURPEE'S BUSH** Flat seed. An old favorite.

**HENDERSON'S BUSH** Small white seed. Very prolific, popular for canning. Sometimes called baby limas.

**FAVA** Pods seven or eight inches long, dark green.

## BEANS—POLE LIMAS

**NEW IDEAL** Large pods borne in clusters.

**EARLY LEVIATHAN** Early and prolific, large pods.

**LARGE WHITE** Vigorous mid-summer sort.

**KING OF THE GARDEN** Large, long pods, medium early and one of the popular sorts.



Fordhook Bush Lima

### SIEBERT'S EARLY

Seed greenish white. Extra early and productive.

### EARLY JERSEY

An early sort.

### FORD'S MAMMOTH

Large thick seed bearing large clusters of big pods.

### SMALL SIEVA

Seed small, plant vigorous.

### CHALLENGER (Improved Dreers)

Large plump beans in the potato class.



Kentucky Wonder

## POLE OR RUNNING BEANS

**SPECIAL WORCESTER POLE (Mammoth Cranberry)** We have an exceptionally choice large seeded, large podded, high colored stock of these beans. They are the true old fashioned type. Very scarce.

**HORTICULTURAL CRANBERRY. (LONDON HORTICULTURAL)** Small speckled seed.

**GOLDEN CLUSTER WAX** White seed, wax podded.

**OLD HOMESTEAD OR KENTUCKY WONDER** Brown seed, long green flat pods.

**WHITE KENTUCKY WONDER** New pole variety. Much merit.

**KENTUCKY WONDER WAX** Seed deep brown, long meaty yellow pods.

**SCARLET RUNNER** Used mostly as an ornamental vine. Producing scarlet flowers, pods are large.

### WHITE DUTCH RUNNER

BUSH LIMAS	Lb.	15 lbs.	60 lbs.
Fordhook .....	.35	4.75	18.00
Burpee's Improved .....	.35	4.50	15.00
Burpee's Bush .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Henderson's Bush .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Fava .....	.20	2.50	9.00

POLE LIMAS	Lb.	15 lbs.	60 lbs.
All except Challenger....	.35	4.00	14.00
Challenger or Potato ....	.35	4.50	15.00

POLE BEANS	Lb.	15 lbs.	60 lbs.
Special Worcester .....	.35	4.50	15.00
Hort'l Cranberry .....	.30	3.75	12.00
Golden Cluster Wax ....	.35	4.50	15.00
Old Homestead or			
Kentucky Wonder ....	.30	3.75	12.00
White Kentucky Wonder	.30	3.75	12.00
Kentucky Wonder Wax..	.30	3.75	12.00
Scarlet Runner .....	.35	4.50	15.00
White Dutch Runner.....	.35	4.50	15.00

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### TABLE BEETS

**Culture:** The best results in growing fine table beets are obtained on a rich sandy loam. They may be sown in the very early spring in rows 12 to 14 inches apart and when about 2 inches high should be thinned to three inches apart. For winter use sow July 1st to August 10th. Early Wonder is the best early and Detroit Dark Red the best winter sorts.

**WOODRUFF'S EARLY WONDER** This is an early beet with a dark smooth skin, small tap root, medium sized top and exceptionally dark red color. It matures very evenly. This variety is a very shy seed yielder which makes it cost a little more than other varieties. The seed itself is smaller and therefore a pound goes farther.

**CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN** Early as Early Wonder but not as smooth or fine colored.

**EX. EARLY DARK RED EGYPTIAN** Early, small top, flat, dark flesh.

**CRIMSON GLOBE** A main crop variety of beet with dark bronze foliage. It is a late sort, globe shaped, and not very popular of recent years.



Early Wonder Beet

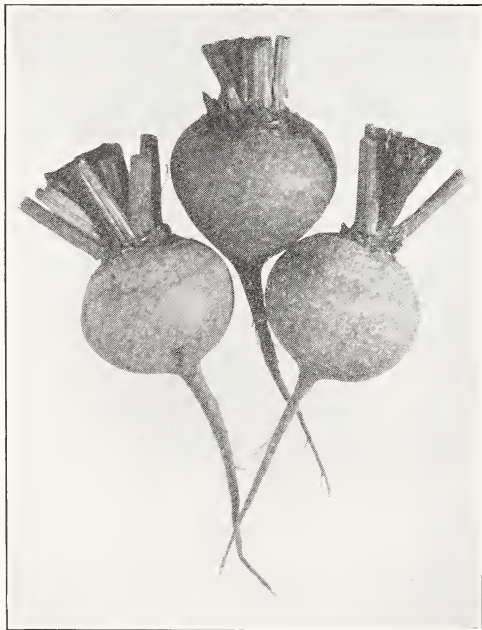
**ECLIPSE** Early variety, small top, medium size, apt to be light in color.

**EDMUND'S BLOOD TURNIP** Summer crop for winter use. Dark red flesh, large top.

**DETROIT DARK RED** The very best main crop sort. Used by market gardeners and canners throughout the country. The roots are uniformly smooth, globe shape and dark red in color both outside and when cut open. We are rightly proud of our fancy stock of this beet.

**EARLY BLOOD TURNIP** A good late summer variety.

**LONG SMOOTH BLOOD (Extra Fine Stock)** A carrot-shaped beet for main crop sort. Very dark red color and tender sweet table beet. See photograph on next page.



Detroit Dark Red

	Pkt.	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	Lb.
Woodruff's Early Wonder	.10	.15	.35	1.25
Crosby's Egyptian	.10	.15	.25	.75
Ex.Ea.Dark Red Egyptian	.10	.15	.25	.75
Crimson Globe	.10	.15	.25	.75
Eclipse	.10	.15	.25	.75
Edmund's Blood Turnip.	.10	.15	.30	1.00
Early Blood Turnip.....	.10	.15	.25	.75
Detroit Dark Red.....	.10	.15	.30	1.00
Long Smooth Blood.....	.10	.15	.35	1.25



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Broad Rib Green Swiss Chard

### SWISS CHARD

**LUCULLUS** Stalks as thick and broad as Rhubarb. Light green and much crumpled.

**BROAD RIB GREEN** A dark green variety with a broad white rib and relatively smooth leaf.

**WHITE SILVER** A fine variety with broad white ribs.



Lucullus Swiss Chard



Long Smooth Blood Beet

### MANGEL WURTZEL AND SUGAR BEET

**MAMMOTH LONG RED** Enormous size, 30 to 50 tons per acre.

**NORBITAN GIANT** A heavy cropper.

**GIANT YELLOW INTERMEDIATE** Grows half above ground. Yellow in color.

**GIANT HALF SUGAR WHITE** White in color. Very sweet.

**GIANT HALF SUGAR ROSE** Fine for sheep or chickens.

**GOLDEN TANKARD** Bright, yellow, large. Tends to give color to milk.

**LANES IMPERIAL WHITE SUGAR**

**FRENCH WHITE SUGAR**

### IMPROVING OUR BEETS

We are continually selecting perfect shape beets of our three leading sorts, Woodruff's Early Wonder, Detroit Dark Red and Long Smooth Blood, for the size of the top and shape of the beet and their color.

Mr. George Etsch of Queens, L. I., tells us that this year he grew 500 bbls. of Long Smooth Blood Beet from ten pounds of our seed which he had had on hand two years. He reported the strain to be 100% pure.

His experience is not unusual, for we have many customers who will use only Woodruff's beet seed.

SWISS CHARD	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Lucullus .....	.10	.15	.30	1.00
Broad Rib Green .....	.10	.15	.30	1.00
White Silver .....	.10	.15	.30	1.00
<b>MANGELS &amp; SUGAR</b>				
<b>BEETS</b>				
		Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb. 5 lbs.
All Varieties .....	.10	.25	.80	3.75

### HOT BED MATS

Burlap both sides	Each	½ Doz.	Doz.
40 x 76 in.	\$ 2.00	\$10.50	\$18.00
76 x 76 in.	3.25	18.00	33.00
76 x 84 in.	3.50	19.50	35.00

Prices are F. O. B. Connecticut, net cash with order.



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### CABBAGE

**GOLDEN ACRE** This is a very fine early variety with well formed round heads similar to Copenhagen Market and earlier than Jersey Wakefield. The heads are very firm, bright green in color and have the appearance of being all cast in the same mold.

**COPENHAGEN MARKET (Very Special Stock)** Small bottom leaf with a short stem and very early, perfectly round heads.

**EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD** Early pointed head.

**CHARLESTON WAKEFIELD** Second early pointed head.

**ALL HEAD EARLY** A fine mid-summer or winter variety.

**STEIN'S EARLY FLAT DUTCH** Early fine type Flat Dutch.

**EARLY WINNIGSTADT** One of the old standbys, producing a medium size, long pointed or cone shaped very solid head which is closely wrapped with dark, slate colored leaves. A favorite with old gardeners, as it is one of the very best second early sorts.



Golden Acre

**ENKHUIZEN GLORY** A fine short stemmed hard-head variety, fair size and good quality

**ALL SEASONS** Large flat head, for summer or winter.

**EARLY SUMMER** Splendid second early. Large flat solid heads.



Copenhagen Market

**SUCCESSION** A fine general purpose cabbage. Large heads, fine quality for fall or winter.

**DANISH BALL HEAD or HOLLANDER** The best winter keeper. Solid heavy head.

**DANISH ROUND HEAD (Short Stem)** Similar to Ball Head except a shorter stem and a trifle earlier.

**STONE MASON** An old standard winter sort.

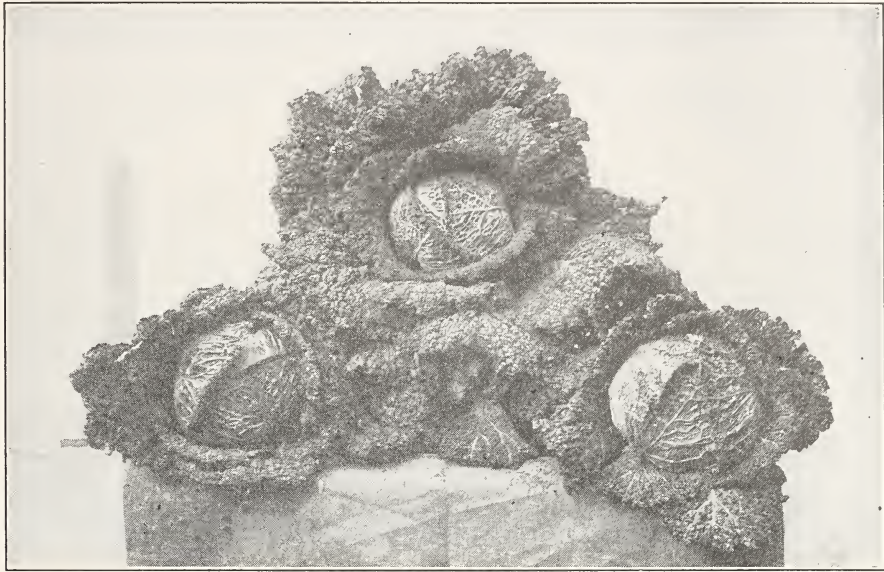
**PREM. LATE FLAT DUTCH** One of the old large round sorts. Good keeper.

**BUGNER** Very popular through the mid-west. Very large semi-round heads which become extremely hard as soon as they begin to form. If planted early is an excellent mid-summer as well as fall cabbage. It is thoroughly disease resistant. We have grown this seed from a very fancy strain of stock seed and have the original qualities brought out by the originator.

	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Golden Acre .....	.15	.60	2.00	7.50
Copenhagen Market ..	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
Early Jersey Wakefield ..	.10	.40	1.00	3.50
Charleston Wakefield..	.10	.40	1.00	3.50
All Head Early .....	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
Stein's Early Flat Dutch ..	.10	.40	1.00	3.50
Early Winnigstadt ....	.10	.30	.85	3.00
Enkhuizen Glory .....	.10	.40	1.00	3.50
All Seasons .....	.10	.40	1.00	3.50
Early Summer .....	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
Succession .....	.10	.40	1.00	3.50
Danish Ball Head.....	.10	.40	1.00	3.50
Danish Round Head ..	.10	.40	1.00	3.50
Stone Mason .....	.10	.40	1.00	3.50
Premium Late FlatDutch ..	.10	.40	1.00	3.50
Bugner .....	.20	.90	3.00	10.00

# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut



Special Long Island Savoy

### CABBAGE

**SPECIAL LONG ISLAND SAVOY** We wish to call special attention to our Long Island Grown Selected Stock Savoy Cabbage. It is very curly throughout, with very compact heads. The leaves turn in snug and nice and the entire head retains a fine dark green color with a very crinkley and curly appearance.

**DRUMHEAD SAVOY** A good stock as ordinarily sold.

**MAMMOTH RED ROCK. (Regular Stock)** Large sure heading red cabbage.

**ZENITH RED ROCK** Smaller and harder than Mammoth. Fine keeper.

**WONG BOK** This is the original Chinese grown strain producing a very heavy compact head. Has delicious mild flavor and the pale green closely wrapped leaves blanch to almost pure white.



Wong Bok

	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Special L. I. Savoy...	.20	1.25	4.00	15.00
Drumhead Savoy ....	.10	.40	1.25	4.00
Mammoth Red Rock...	.10	.40	1.25	4.00
Zenith Red Rock....	.10	.40	1.25	4.00
Wong Bok (Chinese).	.10	.30	1.00	3.50



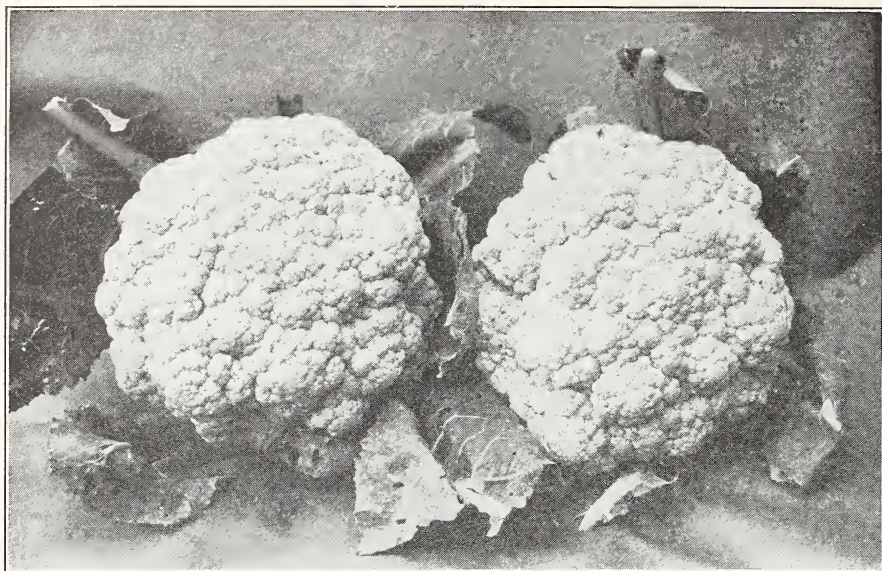
Mammoth Red Rock

We cannot recommend too highly our strain of Improved Kidney Wax Beans, which you will find described on Page 4. They combine the finest quality with extremely large yield. Try them.



# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut



Snowball Cauliflower

### CAULIFLOWER

**SNOWBALL** Earliest maturing strain of short-leaved type. It is well adapted for forcing or winter use and is one of the most popular of all sorts, both for the market gardener and home use. Our strain of this selected Denmark grown seed can be relied upon as one of the most satisfactory of all.

**EXTRA EARLY DWARF ERFURT** Similar in general characteristics to Snowball, but not quite so early and somewhat larger in growth.

### CARDOON

**SMOOTH LARGE SOLID**  
**LARGE SOLID TOURS (Prickly)**

### CHICORY

**WITLOOF OR FRENCH ENDIVE** Our stock is fine and produces large compact heads.

### CORN SALAD

**LARGE SEEDED BROAD LEAF** Best and most popular variety.

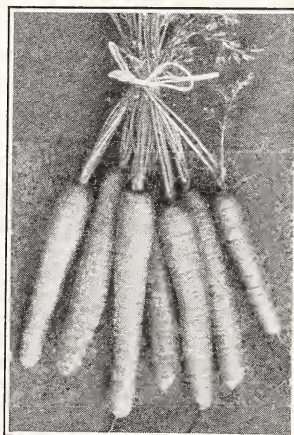
### CRESS OR PEPPER GRASS

**CURLED** Most popular for salad.  
**TRUE WATER CRESS**

### COLLARDS

**GEORGIA** Fine for greens, and most popular in the South.

CAULIFLOWER	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Snowball .....	.25	2.50	8.00	30.00
Ex. Ea. Dwarf Erfurt. .	.25	2.50	8.00	30.00
<b>CARDOON</b>				
Smooth Large Solid..	.10	.15	.50	1.75
Large Solid Tours ..	.10	.20	.60	2.00
<b>CHICORY</b>				
Witloof .....	.10	.15	.40	1.50
<b>CORN SALAD</b>				
Large Seeded Broad Leaf	.10	.15	.35	1.25
<b>CRESS</b>				
Curled .....	.10	.15	.30	1.00
True Water Cress ....	.10	.25	1.25	4.50
<b>COLLARDS</b>				
Georgia .....	.10	.15	.30	1.00



Coreless Forcing  
Carrot

It is time to think about reseeding your lawn. There will be bare spots that will need attention or perhaps the weeds have got the best of your old lawn. See inside of back cover.



# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

*Milford, Connecticut*

## CARROT

**CHANTENAY** This splendid carrot belongs to the half-long stump-rooted type, with good girth and consequently makes a heavy tonnage yield, and also a beautiful shaped carrot for bunching at any time after it has made half its growth. We recommend it above all others as a bunching carrot. For its true shape, see cut below. The color is a rich orange red.



Chantenay

**PERFECTION** This new carrot is of great merit in its fine keeping quality. Keeps in prime condition all winter. Grows 8 to 9 inches long, coreless, striking deep red color, and a big cropper.

**CORELESS FORCING** Fine sweet tender carrot for forcing. Popular with both market and private gardeners. Roots are half-long, stump ending and coreless. The top is rather small.

**WOODRUFF'S SELECTED DANVERS** A fine stock of the old popular sort. Bred to an even size, and fine color.

**DANVERS IMPROVED (Half Long)** Good second early.

**NANTES** Coreless. Finest forcing. Small top, nice shape, deep orange color, with rather small foliage.

**OXHEART OR GERANDE** Short forcing variety. Valuable for first early bunching.

**RUBICON HALF LONG** Half-long, stump-rooted, fine color.

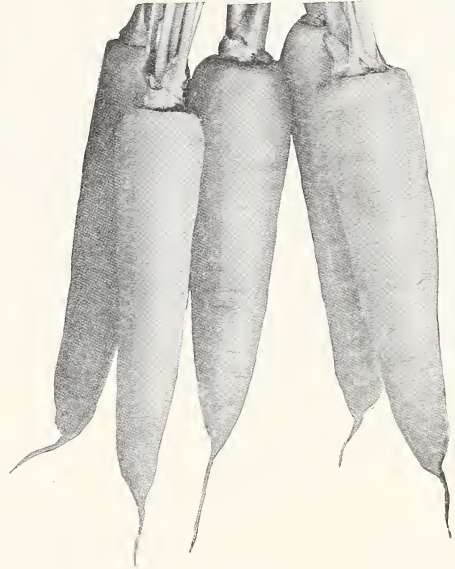
**IMPROVED LONG ORANGE** A long, pointed variety. Heavy yielder, and a good stock carrot.

**ST. VALERY INTERMEDIATE** Very similar to Long Orange.

**CORELESS CHANTENAY** This strain of Coreless Chantenay is quite free from the ordinary yellow core and while it is not as yet completely fixed, it is a decided improvement over the old type. On account of its tenderness, it is superior in quality to regular Chantenay, and should become one of the leaders.

**BAGLEY** For an exact likeness for shape, see the cut below. It has a beautiful red orange color, shows no green around the top of the root, and grows a medium size top.

**HUTCHINSON** Characteristics identical with Bagley, with the exception that it is inclined to grow slightly out of ground, making the top of some of the carrots somewhat greenish in color.



Bagley

	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Chantenay .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Perfection .....	.10	.20	.65	2.25
Coreless Forcing .....	.10	.20	.65	2.25
Woodruff's Sel. Danvers .....	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Danvers Improved ....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Nantes .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Oxheart .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Rubicon Half Long....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Improved Long Orange .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
St. Valery Intermediate .....	.10	1.5	.35	1.00
Coreless Chantenay ...	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Bagley .....	.10	.25	1.00	3.00
Hutchinson .....	.10	.25	1.00	3.00

Write for Prices on Large Quantities

# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### CELERY



Wonderful Celery

### WOODRUFF'S WONDERFUL CELERY

#### The Finest Yellow Celery Ever Introduced

**WONDERFUL. (Proven Seed).** Sometimes Called **Golden Plume**. This is a thick set compact celery attaining exceptional weight. Note the stock formation. We have seen twelve stalks that weighed 72 lbs. Our stock of WONDERFUL has no soft stalks, is high germination and proven seed that was tested last year. We advise all Celery Growers to try this stock liberally.

	Pkt.	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	Lb.
Wonderful .....	.25	2.50	8.50	30.00
Paris Golden .....	.20	1.00	3.50	12.00
New French Golden ..	.20	1.25	4.00	15.00
Woodruff's Beauty ...	.20	1.25	4.00	15.00
Newark Market .....	.20	1.00	3.00	10.00

**PARIS GOLDEN SELF BLANCHING. (Old Strain)** Plants are stocky and full hearted, making a vigorous growth, and is easily bleached. It is considered a good storage celery. Our stock is the old original strain, as first introduced in France. If you want a quality Paris Golden, we believe we have it.

**NEW FRENCH GOLDEN** This is a recent introduction from France and also has been sold as Paris Golden, causing considerable confusion. The stalks of this celery grow very rapidly and are quite tall, but the plant is not as stocky as the Old Strain. It matures very early, which gives it a place as a commercial celery, because it is ready to put on the market considerably earlier than any other variety, and is being grown to a great extent on that account.

**WOODRUFF'S BEAUTY** This resembles Paris Golden in size, with a stocky large golden heart, brittle in quality. It is one of the easily bleached green sorts.

**NEWARK MARKET** A quick bleaching green celery of our own growing. Completely resistant to celery sickness, pot rot and blight. Develops very rapidly, very brittle, and of fine flavor.



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## Milford, Connecticut

### CELERY—Continued

**EASY BLEACHING.** (Sanford Superb) This is a valuable and comparatively new variety, which follows about two weeks later than Golden Self Blanching. It grows well on both muck and upland, has splendid keeping qualities, and is not as susceptible to blights as some other sorts. We have a very choice strain of Easy Bleaching, and recommend it highly.

**GIANT PASCHAL** (Frost Strain) This is the finest eating green celery known. Crisp, brittle, free from strings and has that nutty flavor which makes every bite taste like more. All soft stalks are eliminated and we believe we can give you the choicest strain of Paschal Celery in existence.

**WINTER QUEEN** This is a good variety of celery for winter and spring use. Has a very large heart, creamy white and solid.

**COLUMBIA** Plants are medium in height, thick ribbed and well hearted. A good celery for winter market.

**BOSTON MARKET** It grows a very stocky heart, and for eating qualities is very fine. We have an exceptionally fine stock of this celery.

**WHITE PLUME** The earliest celery, but it does not have the quality nor appearance of Golden Self Blanching, which follows right after it.

**HOOVER SPECIAL** A marvelous new celery, which resembles Wonderful in its maturity and quality, but grows taller, often to 30 inches. Stems thick, broad, brittle, fine flavor and without strings. Grows longer to the joint than Wonderful. Has the same heavy, full heart. A heavy yielding golden celery that brings top prices in New York market.

**CELERIAC (TURNIP ROOTED CELERY).** Giant Smooth Prague. "Knob celery".

### DANDELION



Picking Dandelion Seed

**ARLINGTON THICK LEAF** Grown on our own farms in Milford. Our strain will produce plants which are very thick leaved and stocky, which fill up the bushel. Very high germinating seed.

**COMMON FRENCH, OR CULTIVATED** A fine large leaf sort.

**CICCORIA CATALOGNA** or Italian Dandelion



Hoover Special

### DILL

**LONG ISLAND MAMMOTH** We have a superior strain.

#### COMMON

CELERY	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Easy Bleaching .....	.15	.75	2.50	8.00
Giant Paschal .....	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
Winter Queen .....	.10	.35	.75	2.50
Columbia .....	.10	.35	.75	2.50
Boston Market .....	.10	.35	.75	2.50
White Plume .....	.10	.35	1.00	3.50
Hoover Special .....	1.00	6.00	20.00	60.00
Celeriac—Gt.S.Prague. .	.15	.60	2.00	6.00
<b>DANDELION</b>				
Arlington Thick Leaf. .	.10	.50	1.75	6.50
Common French .....	.10	.35	1.00	3.00
Ciccoria Catalogna ...	.10	.40	1.25	4.00
<b>DILL</b>				
Long Island Mammoth .	.10	.25	.60	2.00
Common .....	.10	.15	.30	1.00

# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### SWEET CORN



L. I. Beauty Corn Stripped and Ready to Pick. On Milford Seed Farms

### EARLY VARIETIES

Sweet Corn — 50 Lbs. per Bu.

**EARLY SURPRISE** One of the earliest varieties ever put on the market. A fine white ear  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 inches in length and filled out to the end. Has fine green streamers on the ears, which make a fine appearance. Stalk  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 feet high. Matures in from 55 to 60 days, mostly ready to eat in 55 days.

**GOLDEN SUNSHINE** A choice extra-early yellow sweet corn,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  feet tall, with many stalks carrying two ears. The ears are 7 inches long and about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick.

**EARLY YELLOW SENSATION** This is a new variety and is the earliest yellow corn we have ever seen. It matures for the table in 60 days. The ear has 8 to 12 rows and is of a good size, the quality excellent and the flavor of the sweetest.

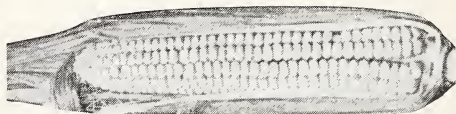
**EARLY COLUMBIA** Another very fine white corn. Superior to Early Mayflower, for it is a week earlier and has an ear fully as large, with beautiful green streamers. Stalks grown from 5 to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  feet high. About 25 per cent. of the stalks bear two ears. The best early white corn for size and sweetness.

**EARLY MAYFLOWER** One of the whitest and sweetest of the early sorts. An exceptionally good yielder and one that deserves to be planted. Ears average 8 in., with deep kernel.

**EXTRA EARLY YELLOW** One of the earliest yellow corn we know. Two weeks earlier than Golden Bantam. Seventy days to maturity.

**GOLDEN BANTAM** No market or home garden can afford to be without at least two plantings of this wonderful corn each season. Stalks about 4 ft., and ears small with large exceptionally sweet kernels.

**WHIPPLE'S EARLY YELLOW** Twice the size of Golden Bantam, and matures in about 85 days. Has very fine quality and is growing in popularity.



Early Surprise

	Lb.	12½ Lbs.	50 Lbs.	100 Ears
Early Surprise .....	.35	4.00	12.00	—
Golden Sunshine ....	.35	4.00	12.00	6.00
Extra Early Yellow..	.35	4.00	12.00	6.00
Ea. Yellow Sensation	.35	4.00	12.00	6.00
Early Columbia ....	.35	4.00	12.00	6.00
Early Mayflower ....	.25	3.00	10.00	6.00
Golden Bantam .....	.25	3.00	10.00	6.00
Whipple's Ea. Yellow	.25	3.00	10.00	7.00

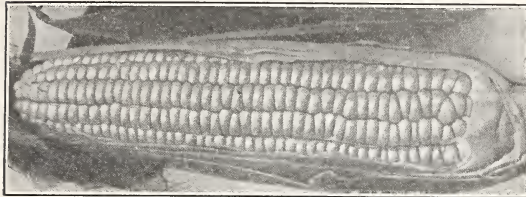


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## Milford, Connecticut

### SWEET CORN

#### EARLY VARIETIES—Cont'd



**Golden Rod Corn**

**GOLDEN GIANT** A valuable early yellow corn. Stalks 4 to 5 ft., two or three ears, twice the size of Golden Bantam. The cob has 12 to 18 rows.

**GOLDEN ROD** A yellow corn of the Golden Bantam type and flavor, but somewhat later and larger ears; very fine to follow Golden Bantam on account of its large size, color and sweetness.

#### SECOND EARLY VARIETIES

**EARLY MAMMOTH** A popular large eared second early sort which sells readily on account of its large size and fine shape.

**EARLY EVERGREEN** Ready for market one week before Stowell's Evergreen; ears large with 14 rows.

**PRIDE OF MILFORD** A fine second early corn, about two weeks earlier than Long Island Beauty, with exceptionally large ears and beautiful green streamers.

**HOWLING MOB** Large size ears, white, very sweet and deep kernels, small cob, and one of the most popular of the second early sorts.

**BLACK MEXICAN** Good sized black ears. Not to be planted with white varieties, as it crosses very easily.

**EARLY CROSBY** Popular second early.

#### LATE VARIETIES

**STOWELL'S EVERGREEN** Standard main crop variety; ears large and thick grained; very deep and tender.

**COUNTRY GENTLEMAN** This is considered by some the best of all sweet corn. It is of the shoe-peg variety and not as popular as years ago on account of the short time it may be picked in prime condition.

**HICKOX** A well known late variety excellent for market gardens.

**LATE MAMMOTH** Large eared variety maturing after Stowell's.

**LONG ISLAND BEAUTY** A cross between Evergreen and Late Mammoth; ears large, small grained, of fine quality; one of the best late sorts, where large ears are wanted.

**BANTAM EVERGREEN** A cross between Golden Bantam and Stowell's Evergreen. Ears are 7 to 8 in. long with 12 to 14 rows of large yellow kernels which are of fine quality. Also called Golden Evergreen.

#### WHITE RICE POP CORN

**SWEET FODDER CORN** Our sweet fodder corn is taken from various crops of sweet corn which do not show good enough quality for seed corn, but are excellent to sow in the drill for fodder corn.

		12½	50	100
EARLY SORTS	Lb.	Lbs.	Lbs.	Ears
Golden Giant .....	.25	3.00	10.00	6.00
Golden Rod .....	.25	3.00	10.00	6.00
SECOND EARLY SORTS				
Early Mammoth ....	.25	2.50	9.00	8.00
Early Evergreen ....	.25	2.25	8.00	6.00
Pride of Milford ....	.25	3.00	10.00	—
Howling Mob .....	.25	2.25	8.00	7.00
Black Mexican .....	.25	3.00	10.00	—
Early Crosby .....	.25	2.25	8.00	—
LATE SORTS				
Stowell's Evergreen..	.25	2.25	8.00	7.00
Country Gentleman..	.25	3.00	10.00	6.00
Hickox .....	.25	2.25	8.00	8.00
Late Mammoth .....	.25	2.25	8.00	9.00
Long Island Beauty..	.25	3.00	10.00	9.00
Bantam Evergreen ..	.25	3.00	10.00	8.00
White Rice Pop Corn	.18	—	—	—
Sweet Fodder Corn..	—	—	2.50	—

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## Milford, Connecticut

### FIELD AND ENSILAGE CORN

Field Corn weighs 56 lbs. per bushel

**LONGFELLOW** Second early flint corn; 10 to 12 rows; height 8 feet.

**EARLY EIGHT ROWED CANADA** Earliest flint corn, 7 feet.

**SANFORD WHITE FLINT** Seven feet high.

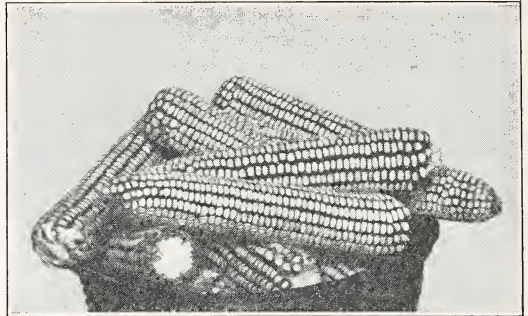
**IMPROVED LEAMING** Early, yellow dent.

**PRIDE OF THE NORTH** Ninety day yellow dent.

**RED COB ENSILAGE** White corn on red cob; stalk short jointed but very tall with heavy foliage.

**SWEEPSTAKES or WEST BRANCH** We offer a superior strain of this finest of yellow dent corn, grown in Connecticut.

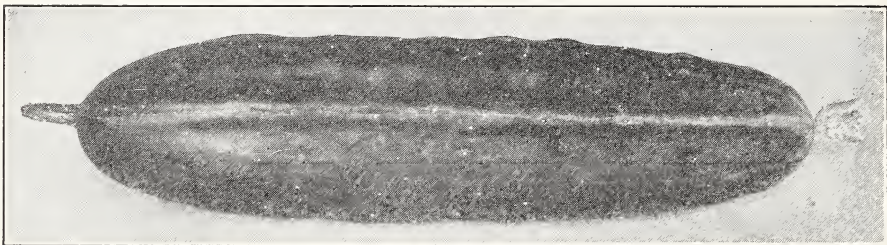
**EUREKA** One of the largest corns, both in ear and stalk, which is 12 to 14 ft. A very fine ensilage corn.



Sweepstakes—Conn. Grown

	14 lbs.	56 lbs.
Longfellow .....	.90	3.00
Early 8 Rowed Canada .....	1.00	3.50
Sanford White Flint .....	.90	3.00
Improved Leaming .....	.75	2.75
Pride of the North .....	.75	2.75
Red Cob Ensilage .....	.90	3.00
Sweepstakes .....	1.20	4.00
Eureka .....	1.00	3.50

### CUCUMBER



Woodruff's Hybrid Cucumber

We consider our Hybrid Cucumber the best all around cucumber in existence. It has a long, straight, attractive shape, with a very rich green color, a fine lot of showy white spines, and the color stays green for a week, making it a fine shipper. The vine is medium size, making it a fine greenhouse cucumber or for under sash.

	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ Lb.	1 Lb.
<b>WOODRUFF'S HYBRID CUCUMBER</b> (See description above) .....	\$.10	\$.20	\$.75	\$2.00
<b>EARLY FORTUNE</b> Fine early white spine strain .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
<b>EARLY CLUSTER</b> Pickling variety .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
<b>GREEN PROLIFIC</b> Fine pickle variety .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
<b>BOSTON PICKLING</b> Straight, uniform pickling variety .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
<b>CHICAGO PICKLING</b> .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
<b>DAVIS PERFECT</b> New long, prolific cucumber .....	.10	.15	.50	1.50
<b>IMPROVED WHITE SPINE</b> Standard sort, very popular .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
<b>ARLINGTON WHITE SPINE</b> Best market and early shipper .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
<b>IMPROVED LONG GREEN</b> (Mustard Cuke) .....	.10	.15	.50	1.50
<b>FORDHOOK FAMOUS</b> .....	.10	.15	.50	1.50
<b>KLONDIKE</b> Fine shape and dark color .....	.10	.15	.50	1.50
<b>SUNNY SOUTH.</b> It stays green. A fine yielder and shipper .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25



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## Milford, Connecticut

### EGG PLANT



**Black Beauty Egg Plant**

**EXTRA EARLY LONG PURPLE** Very productive and early variety.

**BLACK BEAUTY** Very desirable sort for the market, as the fruit holds its color well.

**NEW YORK SPINELESS** Plants of medium height, very prolific, with deep purple fruit.

**FLORIDA HIGH BUSH** Plants are large and high, usually bearing the fruit off the ground. Fruit medium size, pear shaped, and of a purple color. Very productive.

### ENDIVE OR ESCAROLE

**BATAVIAN BROAD LEAF (Full Heart)** Large and tender for fall or winter.

**LARGE GREEN CURLED (Red Ribbed)** Hardy variety, fine quality.

**WHITE CURLED** Light yellow, very curly.

### FENNEL



**Florence or Italian Fennel**

**FLORENCE OR ITALIAN** Forms a bulb above ground at base of leaf stalk which is excellent when cooked. Also eaten uncooked, like celery, but has somewhat the flavor of anise.

**SWEET FENNEL** is listed under "Herbs", on Page 27.

### KALE OR BORECOLE



**Dwarf Scotch Kale**

**DWARF GREEN CURLED SCOTCH** A popular low spreading variety.

**SPECIAL DWARF SCOTCH** This stock is Long Island grown. Withstands frost. Has a double deck and is dark green and very curly.

**DWARF SIBERIAN OR GERMAN SPROUTS** Stands severest climate.

**TALL SCOTCH** Same as Dwarf, except tall stem.

EGG PLANT	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Ex. Early Long Purple.	.10	.50	1.75	6.00
Black Beauty .....	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
New York Spineless ..	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
Florida High Bush ....	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
ENDIVE				
Batavian Broad Leaf ..	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Large Green Curled ..	.10	.20	.60	2.00
White Curled .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
FENNEL				
Florence or Italian ....	.10	.15	.40	1.50
KALE				
Dwarf Scotch .....	.10	.15	.40	1.50
Special Dwarf Scotch..	.10	.30	1.00	3.00
Dwarf Siberian .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Tall Scotch .....	.10	.15	.40	1.50

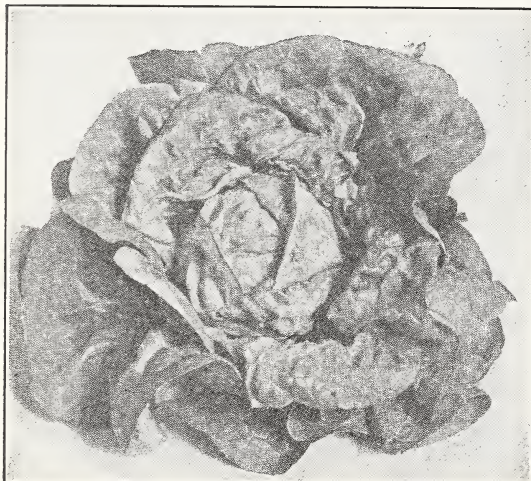
# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### LETTUCE — HEADING VARIETIES

**BIG BOSTON** A fine forcing strain or for open ground. Large solid heads. Our stock is particularly fine, has been selected by an expert, and our customers tell us it is the finest strain of Big Boston they can obtain anywhere.

**NEW EARLY MAY KING** An improvement on the original strain. Heads very early and does equally well in open ground or under sash.



Big Boston

**NEW YORK, LOS ANGELES, OR WONDERFUL** This variety produces heads of unusual size, frequently weighing from 3 to 4 pounds, and nearly as solid as cabbage. It blanches itself naturally, is crisp, tender, and of excellent flavor, always free from bitterness.

**ICEBERG** Heads early and stands a long time before running to seed. Leaves finely cut and curled, very light green color, while the center of head is pure, crisp and of fine quality.

**BLACK SEED TENNIS BALL** Our strain is considered a standard and is slow to run to seed. Stands hot weather well.

**MARKET GARDENER'S PRIVATE STOCK** Prized as a main stock sort which makes a large solid head and stands a long time before throwing a seed stalk.

**SPECIAL "J"** An improvement over Big Boston in that it is very free from bottom rot, tip burn, and grows higher off the ground than the latter. It is especially fine for spring sowing out of doors. Forms a very solid head. Stands many days after maturity before shooting to seed.

**WAYAHEAD** Very early firm heading sort; leaves quite smooth.

**SPECIAL WHITE BOSTON** Does not turn red by frost or heat. Much like Big Boston, but lighter green and without the red tinge. Very popular for cold frames and spring and fall planting in the field. Stands hot weather well and heads early.

**BLACK SEED BIG BOSTON. (Extra Selected stock).** Very fine for fall and winter sowing in cold frames. Has a very large frame, solid heads, which mature uniformly.

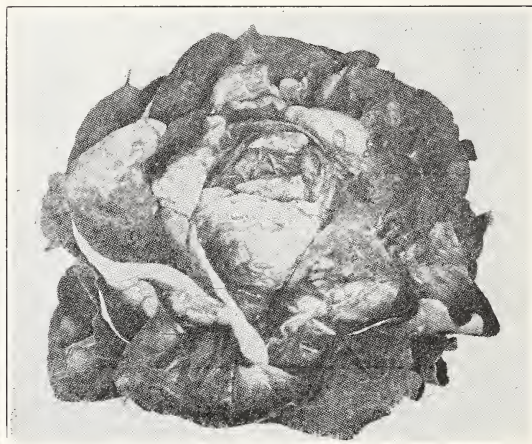
**WHITE SEED TENNIS BALL** For forcing. Forms compact head.

**MAMMOTH BLACK SEED BUTTER** Fine cold weather lettuce and a great favorite for sowing for fall crop.

**IMPROVED HANSON** A splendid summer heading sort, being compact, with a large cabbage-like head. The outer leaves are yellowish green, inner leaves white, sweet and tender.

**NEW YORK NO. 12** This strain is much earlier than the regular New York, makes large solid heads of the flat type, and is most uniform at maturity. Fields produce nearly 100% cut of U. S. No. 1 heads in 65 days after planting.

**IMPROVED SALAMANDER** One of the most popular sorts for withstanding heat. Similar in appearance to Black Seed Tennis Ball.



Special "J"

	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Big Boston .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
New Early May King..	.10	.20	.85	3.00
New York or Wonderful	.10	.25	.75	2.50
Iceberg .....	.10	.25	.75	2.50
Black Seed Tennis Ball	.10	.15	.50	1.50
Market Gardener's				
Private Stock .....	.10	.15	.50	1.50
Special "J" .....	.10	.30	1.25	4.00
Wayahead .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Special White Boston..	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Black Seed Big Boston..	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
White Seed Tennis Ball	.10	.15	.50	1.50
Mam. Black Seed Butter	.10	.15	.50	1.50
Improved Hanson .....	.10	.15	.50	1.50
New York No. 12 .....	.10	.30	1.25	4.00
Imp. Salamander .....	.10	.20	.60	2.00

WRITE FOR PRICES ON LARGE LOTS.



# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### LETTUCE—CURLED OR LOOSE HEADED VARIETIES

**WHITE SEEDED SIMPSON OR EARLY CURLED SILESIA** Loose curled head, similar to Black Seeded Simpson. Particularly suited for sowing thickly and cutting when plants are young.

**PRIZEHEAD** Large clustering non-heading sort; most excellent for home garden as it is very early. Too tender for shipping. Leaves are fine, curled and crinkled, bright green tinged with brownish red. Very crisp and tender.

**BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON** Large loose head; nearly white and very tender. Superior for earliest crop.

**GRAND RAPIDS** An old standard loose leaf curly variety for forcing or out door use. Will stand high temperature, does not wilt quickly after cutting, therefore a good shipper. We have been told that our stock of Grand Rapids is the best stock obtainable.

### LETTUCE — ROMAINE TYPES

**TRIANON COS** The Romaine types of lettuce are becoming very popular. Almost the entire plant is tender and palatable.

**PARIS WHITE COS** Large sort of Romaine. Excellent as a salad.

**DARK GREEN COS.** This is darker, more hardy than Paris White Cos. Will head up under almost any condition. A very fancy strain.



Woodruff's Romaine — 1600 Crates  
on One Acre in New Jersey

### KOHL RABI

**EARLY WHITE VIENNA** Very early, whitish green in color, with small tops.

**EARLY PURPLE VIENNA** Similar to White Vienna except in color.



Early White Vienna

### LEEK

**AMERICAN FLAG** The most popular variety; grows to a good size, and is straight and uniform, and is of the best quality.

**DOBBIE'S INTERNATIONAL** Very large, bleaches 12 inches.

**MONSTROUS CARENTAN** One of the very best. Broad, vigorous, erect leaves, long good sized stem, snow-white; fine flavor.

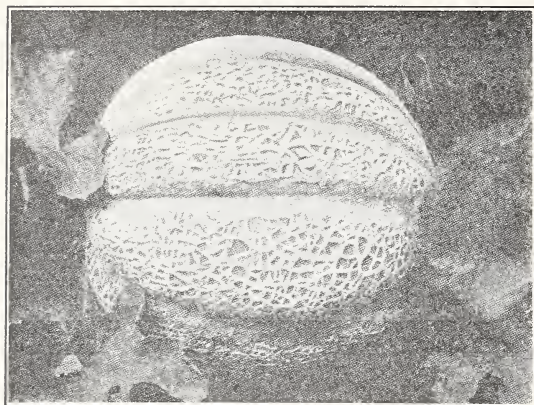
**LARGE MUSSELBERG** Enormous broad leaves, mild flavor. Good exhibition sort.

LETTUCE	Pkt.	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	Lb.
White Seeded Simpson.	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Prizehead .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Black Seeded Simpson..	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Grand Rapids .....	.10	.15	.50	1.50
Trianon Cos .....	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Paris White Cos .....	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Dark Green Cos .....	.10	.20	.60	2.00
<b>KOHL RABI</b>				
Early White Vienna....	.10	.20	.75	2.50
Early Purple Vienna....	.10	.20	.75	2.50
<b>LEEK</b>				
American Flag .....	.10	.20	.75	2.50
Dobbie's International .	.10	.30	1.00	3.00
Monstrous Carentan ...	.10	.20	.75	2.50
Large Musselberg .....	.10	.30	1.00	3.00

# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### MUSKMELON OR CANTALOUPE SALMON FLESHED VARIETIES



**Bender's Surprise**

**BENDER'S SURPRISE** We believe the Bender melon to be the best flavored and finest eating melon we have ever tasted, and strongly recommend it over every other melon. Very superior in eating quality. The skin when ripe is light greenish yellow, the flesh a very deep salmon. It can be successfully grown as far north as Minneapolis.

**TIP TOP** Shape varies from round to slightly oblong. A large size melon and late in maturing. Pale green skin, lightly netted. Flesh deep salmon.

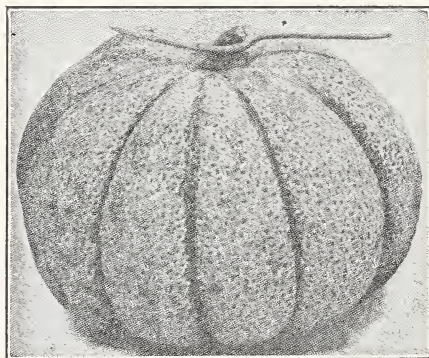
**EMERALD GEM** One of the best early melons, and especially adapted for a home garden or for nearby markets, as it will not ship well because it will get soft on the ends. Deeply ribbed, lightly netted, flesh rich salmon, exceedingly small seed cavity. Very sweet.

**OSAGE OR MILLER'S CREAM** A very high quality melon. Fruits are dark green, slightly ribbed and well netted. Rich orange salmon flesh and very sweet.

**HEARTS OF GOLD** An excellent mid-season variety. Fruit round, distinctly ribbed and densely covered with fine grey netting. Flesh thick, fine quality and rich orange color.

**BURRELL'S GEM** An excellent pink meat sort.

**FORDHOOK** Characterized by its outstanding luscious, sweet, and delicious flavor. A melon of flattened shape, with broad ribs and an attractive gray netting. The fruits present a most attractive appearance. The flesh is very thick, of a bright orange-salmon shade, reflecting its choice flavor. It has become a standard variety in certain large melon-growing sections, and home gardeners have found it to be an excellent, easily grown variety.



**Fordhook**

	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Bender's Surprise .....	.10	.25	.85	3.00
Tip Top .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Emerald Gem .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Osage - Miller's Cream. ....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Hearts of Gold .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Burrell's Gem .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Fordhook .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25



Mr. Jack Thornborrow of Millville, N. J., grows many truck loads of Chantenay Carrots from Woodruff's seed each year.



# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### MUSKMELON

#### GREEN FLESHED VARIETIES

**JENNY LIND** Small fruit, thick on the ends, and consequently a good shipper.

**ROCKY FORD** Small round fruit, no ribs and heavily netted. Small seed cavity and thick flesh.

**EARLY HACKENSACK** An old sort. Ten days earlier than Large Hackensack.

**LARGE HACKENSACK** Large round fruit. Heavily netted.

**HONEY DEW** Cassaba type, large oval fruit, smooth lemon tinted shell. The sweetest melon, but very late.

**EARLY KNIGHT** This is one of the earliest melons and is especially valued on that account. The melons are of medium size, oval in shape, and well netted. The flesh is green and of good flavor. This is an excellent variety for both the home garden and market.

### MUSTARD

**GIANT SOUTHERN CURLED** A very curly mustard of the best sort; very popular in the South, where we sell large quantities.

**FORDHOOK** Very dark green feathery leaves, excellent for greens.

### OKRA OR GUMBO

**PERKINS MAMMOTH PODDED** Height 6 to 7 feet. Pods deep green, long and slender. Very productive.

**WHITE VELVET** Plant rather tall, very productive. Pods medium length.

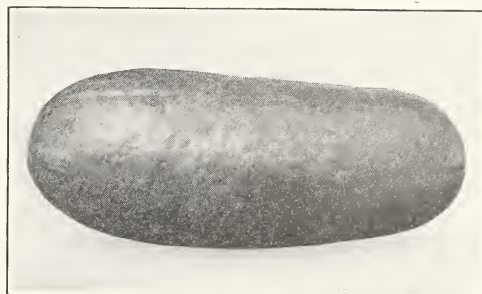
**DWARF GREEN** Pods long, but growing on a dwarf vine.

### WATERMELON

**MOUNTAIN SWEET** Fairly early, medium to large size, very dark green, and good quality.

**ICE CREAM** One of the best growing in the North; early; short and oblong; thin rind, flesh bright scarlet; seeds white, quality very good.

**PHINNEY'S EARLY** Suitable for home gardens; size medium, oblong shape, quality very good; seeds light brown.



Tom Watson Watermelon

**COLE'S EARLY** Very early. Fine for home gardens. Round and sweet.

**SWEETHEART** Medium early, large size. Oblong, tough rind, and a good shipper. Light green, bright red flesh, very sweet, seeds black.

**KLECKLEY'S SWEET** Fine for nearby markets; medium size, thin rind, flesh bright red and crisp.

**IMPROVED LONG DIXIE** Large, oblong, dark green and striped. Good eating and shipping qualities.

**GEORGIA RATTLESNAKE** A Southern favorite. Very long, seeds white, light green.

**HUNGARIAN HONEY** Early, for home gardens. Small size, seed small and brown.

**TOM WATSON** A fine shipper. Rich red flesh.

**IRISH GRAY** Color of seed all creamy white. Very popular as a shipper. Fruit long, oval, light gray color outside. Flesh bright red, free from hard centers.

**FLORIDA FAVORITE** A vigorous, very productive vine, producing large, long fruits which are dark green in color, with irregular mottled stripings of a lighter shade. Flesh very sweet, deep red in color and of excellent quality. Rind is thin but stands up well.

**COLORADO GREEN SEED CITRON.**

**COLORADO RED SEED CITRON.**

MUSKMELON	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Jenny Lind .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Rocky Ford .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Early Hackensack .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Large Hackensack .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Honey Dew .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Early Knight .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
MUSTARD				
Giant So. Curled .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Fordhook .....	.10	.15	.25	.75
OKRA				
Perkins' Mam. Podded..	.10	.15	.25	.75
White Velvet .....	.10	.15	.25	.75
Dwarf Green .....	.10	.15	.25	.75
WATERMELON				
All Watermelon & Citron	.10	.15	.25	.75

# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### ONION SEED

Woodruff's selected strains of onion seed and sets have become a household word in all of the large onion producing sections of this country. We grow on our own ranches onion seed by the carload and onion sets by the train load.

**EXTRA EARLY YELLOW** Half way between globe and flat. Ripens even. Three weeks earlier than Yellow Globe. We introduced this variety.

**YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS** This is the product of years of careful selection, and is the most perfect type of the Yellow Globe Danvers Onion which painstaking care can produce. It is superior to the average seed offered, not only in shape and color, but in productiveness. This, our special strain, is all grown from selected, hand-picked bulbs, none but those perfect in size and shape being set for seed, and the product will be just as perfect in all points.

**SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE** Like the well-known White Globe except in color of skin; of large size. An excellent keeper; fine for market.

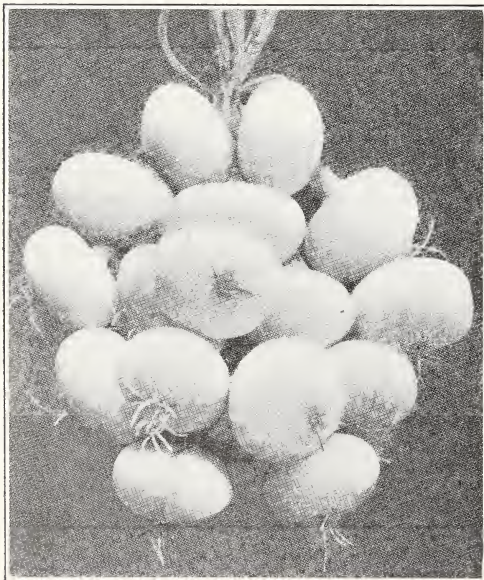
**OHIO OR MICHIGAN YELLOW GLOBE** Globe flattened at the base.

**YELLOW DANVERS FLAT** Used largely for sets.

**YELLOW STRASSBURG** Popular for sets.

**AILSA CRAIG** Large, light yellow, mild.

**PRIZETAKER** Large, yellow. Often used in hotbeds for transplanting.



Early Bartletta

**JAPANESE** The best variety for growing onion sets. Yellow, slightly flattened. A very good keeper.

**COLORADO MOUNTAIN DANVERS** A new early yellow globe onion, of medium size and excellent keeping qualities.



Extra Early Yellow

**SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE** Most popular winter keeping white. Also used for bunching when a large, straight neck is desired.

**WHITE QUEEN** Popular bunching sort.

**EARLY BARLETTA** A very early variety, bulbs small and very white. A popular bunching sort, somewhat like White Queen. Bulbs from one to two inches in diameter.

**WHITE PORTUGAL** Flat, popular for pickling, bunching and sets.

**RED WETHERSFIELD** Large and flat. Big yielder.

**SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE** Large globe shaped good keeper. Rich red color.

ONION	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Extra Early Yellow .....	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Yellow Globe Danvers ..	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Southport Yellow Globe..	.10	.15	.50	1.75
Ohio Yellow Globe.....	.10	.15	.50	1.75
Yellow Danvers Flat....	.10	.15	.45	1.65
Yellow Strassburg .....	.10	.15	.45	1.50
Ailsa Craig .....	.10	.25	.85	3.00
Prizetaker .....	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Japanese .....	.10	.20	.70	2.25
Col. Mountain Danvers..	.10	.20	.70	2.25
Southport White Globe..	.10	.25	.75	2.75
White Queen .....	.10	.25	.75	2.75
Early Bartletta .....	.10	.25	.75	2.75
White Portugal .....	.10	.20	.70	2.25
Red Wethersfield .....	.10	.15	.40	1.40
Southport Red Globe....	.10	.15	.50	1.75



# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### ONION SETS

We have six frost-proof warehouses for the storage of our onion sets, all of them equipped with special cleaning machinery; and we also operate our own onion set farms for the growing of the crops. The seed sown to produce these sets we are growing on our own California seed ranches from bulbs grown from our own pedigreed and selected stock.

This kind of equipment and service has made us the largest retail onion set house in America.

For a real crop of good keeping onions grown from sets, we recommend our Japanese above all others. Some of our competitors will tell you that this or that is just as good, and we ask the question, "Why not buy the Japanese, and buy it from the originator, whose stock has always been the true type?"



Photo taken on our farm at Chicago Heights, Ill.  
Sets Ready for Storage

We are now operating our own set growing farms. Yes, it is from grower to planter direct.



Japanese Onions—From Sets

	Lb. (Quart)	8 Lbs. (Peck)	32 Lbs. (Bushel)
<b>ONION SETS</b>			
Japanese .....	.20	1.25	4.00
Yellow .....	.20	.90	3.00
Red .....	.20	.90	3.00
White .....	.20	1.00	3.50

Prices quoted are f. o. b. Milford, Connecticut, or Illinois, whichever is nearer.  
**Write For Prices on Large Quantities**

**ONE THOUSAND BUSHELS PER ACRE**  
is common and we had one customer who actually reported ninety bushels of onions grown from one bushel of sets.

### RUBBER HOSE

#### "Woody Brand"

This hose is the finest quality obtainable, manufactured to our specifications. It is a molded and braided hose, not to be confused with cheaper wrapped hose which does not last. Furnished in lengths of 25 feet and up. Prices include couplings. F. O. B. Milford.

¾ in., 2 ply	per foot 18c
1 in., 2 ply	per foot 35c



**Write us for prices on other sizes or heavier braided hose for special purposes.**

# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### PARSLEY

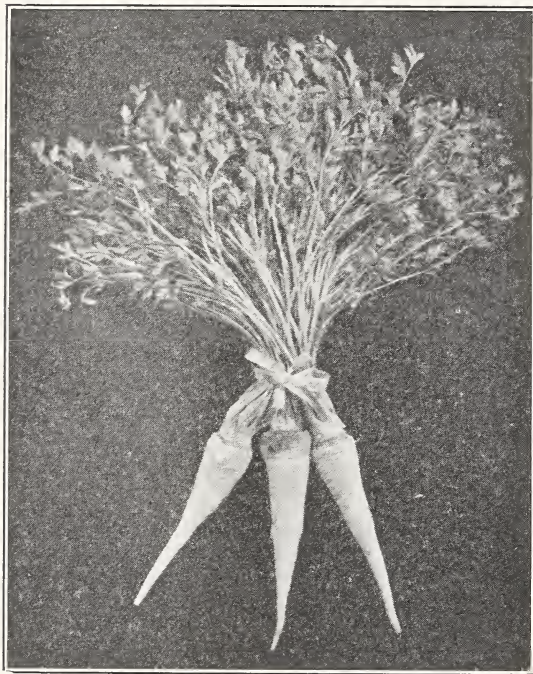
**HAMBURG PARSNIP ROOTED** This variety has edible roots, resembling parsnips, as shown in cut. Roots used for flavoring soups and stews, having somewhat a celery flavor. Our stock of Hamburg is a very choice selection.

**MOSS CURLED** One of the most popular for market and home garden. Very curly.

**DOUBLE CURLED** Slightly later than Moss Curled, but darker in color.

**TRIPLE CURLED** Fine stock.

**PLAIN LEAF** Leaves are plain. Used for soups.



**Hamburg Parsley**

**HORSE RADISH ROOTS** Six to seven inches long. Per 100, \$1.25; per 1000, \$10.00.

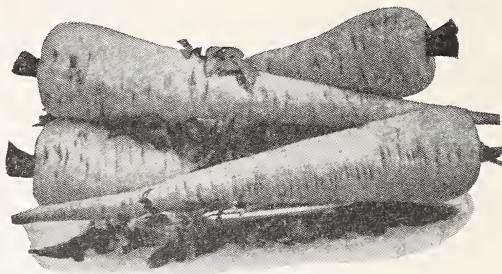


### CROW REPELLANT

Prevents crows and other corn destroying pests from pulling corn. Will not clog a planter. Use  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint for each bushel of corn planted.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., \$1.00; pt., \$1.50.

**Save Your Corn From Crows**

### PARSNIP



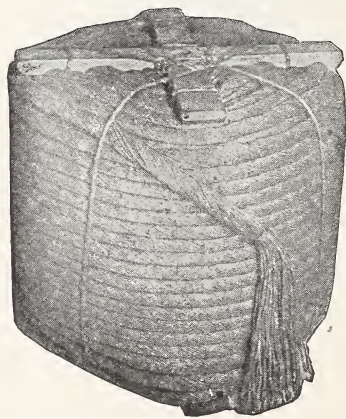
**Hollow Crown Parsnip**

**HOLLOW CROWN** Half long, thick through, smooth and good color. A choice stock.

**EARLY WHITE MODEL** Improved Hollow Crown. Medium length, smooth, snow white, no side roots, very desirable.

PARSLEY	Pkt.	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	Lb.
Hamburg Parsnip Rooted	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Moss Curled .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Double Curled .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Triple Curled .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Plain Leaf .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
PARSNIP				
Hollow Crown .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Early White Model ....	.10	.15	.35	1.00

### JUTE BUNCHING TWINE



This twine comes on reels of about 50 lbs., 102 loose ends, as shown in cut. Orders accepted for not less than one reel. We carry 2, 3, and 4-ply, but ship 2-ply unless otherwise specified. 22c per lb. F. O. B. Milford.



# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### POTATOES

#### Aroostook County, Maine, Grown

We offer the following list, f. o. b., Milford, Conn., on terms of net cash with the order.

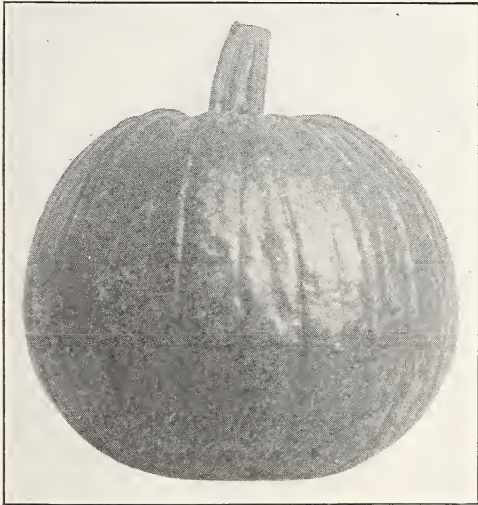
Selected Seed	60 Lbs.	165 Lbs.
Irish Cobbler .....	\$3.00	\$7.25
Early Rose .....	2.90	7.00
Green Mountain .....	2.90	7.00
Delaware .....	2.90	7.00
Dibble's Russets .....	2.90	7.00
Spaulding Rose .....	2.90	7.00

#### Certified Seed

Irish Cobblers 165 lb. sack .....	7.75
Green Mountains 165 lb. sack .....	7.50
Spaulding Rose 165 lb. sack .....	7.50
Delaware 165 lb. sack .....	7.50

The above prices are subject to market fluctuation. We should be glad to make prices on car lots delivered to your railroad station.

### PUMPKIN

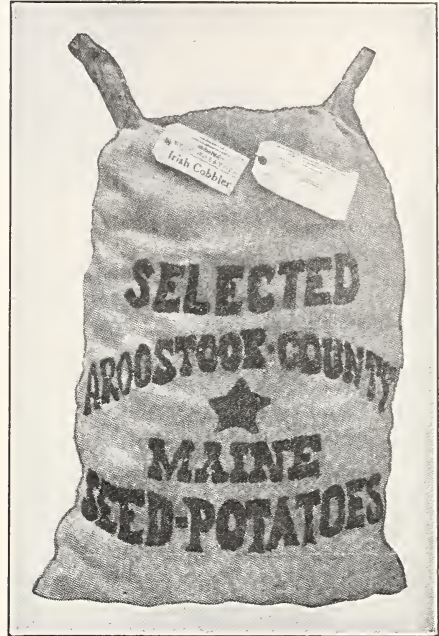


Small Sugar Pumpkin

**SMALL SUGAR** (New England Pie) Small but excellent quality for pies. Fruit deep orange color, 8 to 10 inches in diameter. Flesh a rich, deep yellow.

**TENNESSEE SWEET POTATO** Neck slightly crooked, body bell shaped. Creamy white rind and flesh. Nice quality.

**KING OF THE MAMMOTH** The giant of the pumpkin family, known to grow to 240 lbs. Two feet in diameter. Salmon orange skin, yellow thick flesh.



### PUMPKIN

**CONNECTICUT FIELD** Round, red variety. Very productive, and easily grown.

**LARGE CHEESE** (Very Choice Stock) Our stock grown from selected stock seed. Chrome yellow skin, tender yellow flesh, deep ribbed. We show photograph of a large pile of them ready for seeding. An excellent stock feed.



Large Cheese Pumpkin

PUMPKIN	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Small Sugar .....	.10	.15	.25	.85
Tenn. Sweet Potato.....	.10	.15	.25	.85
King of Mammoth .....	.10	.15	.35	1.00
Connecticut Field .....	.10	.15	.25	.85
Large Cheese .....	.10	.15	.40	1.50

# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut



Woodruff's Colossal

### PEPPER (SWEET)

**WOODRUFF'S COLOSSAL** This is the finest stock of pepper that we have ever offered. Fruit very large, thick meated, beautiful red color and absolutely sweet. The fruit is almost 100% four-pronged, as shown by the photograph above.

**HARRIS' EARLY GIANT** The earliest and most prolific of all the large peppers. Two weeks earlier and yields three times as much as Ruby King, Chinese Giant and other large sorts. Peppers are very large and fine quality.

**CHINESE GIANT** Enormous size; mild and red; plant is vigorous in growth but apt to be light bearer.

**OHIO CRIMSON GIANT** One of the best of the large fruited varieties, fully as large as Chinese Giant, earlier and more prolific; deep green when young, ripening to a bright scarlet; popular for stuffing and mangoes.

**PEERLESS** A new, large pepper of real merit. It is ideal to stuff and bake, or to serve whole with salad. Its walls are exceptionally thick, heavier and firmer than any other sort, and the flesh is deliciously sweet and spicy, with no bite to it. The bright, attractive green changes to a brilliant light crimson. Early, a good yielder and a fine shipper.

**CALIFORNIA WONDER BELL** This is a new variety which originated in California. It is one of the largest peppers grown and has remarkably thick and sweet flesh. Of excellent quality and a particularly heavy yielder.

**RUBY KING** Is one of the old standbys; bright red good sized fruit and heavy cropper; mild flavor.

**NEAPOLITAN** Very early and productive; large and sweet; fruit of upright growth four to four and one-half inches long by two inches in diameter. A yellow pepper.

**PIMENTO** Very thick fleshed; smooth, mild crimson variety; growing more popular for use in salads and garnishes on account of its mild flavor and extraordinary quality.

**RUBY GIANT** A fine sweet pepper somewhat similar to World Beater. Bright red, and very productive. Mild flavor, a thick flesh, making it a good shipper.

**SWEET SQUASH OR CHEESE** Somewhat the shape of a small flat tomato, being about 3 inches in diameter and 2 inches from stem to blossom end. Smooth, deep scarlet color, thick fleshed and sweet. Very prolific.

**BULL NOSE** Large thick meated; bright red; mild flavor; very popular for stuffing when young and dark green; bright red when ripe; mild flavor and very productive. There is also a hot Bull Nose.

**SWEET MOUNTAIN** Resembles Bull Nose but longer fruit; mild flavor, often growing to be six inches long by 3½ to 4 inches in diameter; bright red.

**POLOMBO** Large and sweet, very thick meated.

**WORLD BEATER** A very large thick meated pepper; mild flavor; bright red; very productive and one of the best.

PEPPER	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Woodruff's Colossal....	.25	.75	2.50	8.00
Harris' Early Giant.....	.25	.75	2.50	8.00
Chinese Giant .....	.15	.50	1.75	6.50
Ohio Crimson Giant....	.15	.50	1.75	6.50
Peerless .....	.25	.75	2.50	8.00
Calif. Wonder Bell.....	.25	.75	2.50	8.00
Ruby King .....	.10	.40	1.40	5.00
Neapolitan .....	.10	.40	1.25	4.00
Pimento .....	.10	.40	1.25	4.00
Ruby Giant .....	.10	.40	1.40	5.00
Sweet Cheese .....	.10	.40	1.40	5.00
Bull Nose .....	.10	.40	1.40	5.00
Sweet Mountain .....	.10	.40	1.40	5.00
Polombo .....	.10	.40	1.25	4.00
World Beater .....	.10	.40	1.40	5.00



# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### PEPPER (HOT)

**LARGE HOT SQUASH** It grows a medium sized vine and sets very full—medium sized thick meated and very hot fruit—which is bright red when ripened and makes a very fine pepper for pickles, chili sauce, etc., where hot fruit is required.

**RED CHERRY** Small cherry shaped—largely used for pickling.

**HUNGARIAN WAX** A long, somewhat twisted very hot pepper that has proved on our trial grounds to be a heavy yielder. Fruit is pointed, and from 5½ to 7 inches in length. Very fine for canning.



Hungarian Wax

**LONG RED CAYENNE** Fruit often curved and twisted; 4 to 4½ inches long and about 1½ inches in diameter; hot and pungent; color bright red.

**RED CHILI** Fruit about 1½ inches long, cone shaped; used for pepper sauce; exceedingly prolific; color bright red; plant about 18 inches high.

**RED CLUSTER** Very productive; small fruit which are exceedingly hot and coral red in color.

**BULL NOSE** An early, prolific, not particularly hot variety.

HOT PEPPERS	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Large Hot Squash.....	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
Red Cherry .....	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
Hungarian Wax .....	.10	.75	2.50	8.00
Long Red Cayenne ....	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
Red Chili .....	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
Red Cluster .....	.10	.50	1.75	6.00
Bull Nose .....	.10	.50	1.50	5.00

### HERBS

**ANISE** An annual plant grown widely for its aromatic seeds. Used for garnishing and flavoring.

**BALM** The foliage is used for flavoring soups, stews, sauces, and dressings.

**BORAGE** Annual. The young tender leaves are used as salad.

**CARAWAY** Biennial. The seeds are used for flavoring bread, pastry and other dishes.

**CORIANDER** The seeds have a strong aromatic flavor and are used in confectionery and pastry.

**DILL** One of the most widely grown of all herbs. Used in making dill pickles.

**LAVENDER** Perennial. Mostly grown for the sweet-scented flowers.

**SWEET BASIL** Annual. The leaves are used for flavoring soups, stews, etc. Essential in mock-turtle soup.

**SWEET MAJORAM** The plants are used fresh or they are dried for winter. They are valued for seasoning soups, stews, dressings, sauces, and fillings.

**SWEET FENNEL** The leaves are used extensively in sauces. Sometimes eaten raw as a salad.

**SAGE** Perennial. The most extensively used of all herbs for seasoning. The leaves are used either green or dried. For winter, pick the leaves and dry them in an airy and shady place.

**SUMMER SAVORY** An annual that must be sown every spring in a sunny location.

**THYME** Perennial. Used extensively for flavoring soups, gravies, etc.

**WORMWOOD** Beneficial for poultry.

HERBS	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Anise .....	.10	.20	.50	1.50
Balm .....	.10	.50	1.50	5.00
Borage .....	.10	.15	.40	1.50
Caraway .....	.05	.10	.25	.60
Coriander .....	.05	.10	.25	.60
Dill — see Page 13				
Lavender .....	.20	.50	1.50	5.00
Sweet Basil .....	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Sweet Marjoram .....	.10	.30	1.00	3.00
Sweet Fennel .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Sage .....	.10	.20	.75	2.50
Summer Savory .....	.10	.20	.50	1.50
Thyme .....	.10	.40	1.25	4.00
Wormwood .....	.10	.40	1.25	4.00

# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### PEAS—EARLY GARDEN VARIETIES

Wrinkled Varieties 56 lbs. per bushel; smooth 60 lbs.

#### GROWING EQUIPMENT

We grow annually thousands of bushels of pea seed for both the market garden and canning seed trade. Our latest pea and bean milling and cleaning warehouse in Wyoming has trackage for four cars at a time. Our milling capacity is 2,000 bushels a day, and our picking room will accommodate 88 pickers, who work on automatic picking machines.

**LAXTON'S PROGRESS** A distinctly new pea, with pods a little larger than Laxtonian. They mature about five days earlier than Laxtonian. Height of vine 16 inches. Pods 4 inches long, dark colored, pointed.

**LAXTONIAN** Large podded, dark color, 4 inches long. Mature for the table in 64 days from planting. Vines 17 inches high. Beautiful eating flavor and a fine home or market garden pea.

**PETER PAN** Pods  $3\frac{3}{4}$  inches, pointed, dark color, and set single, on light green vines about 20 inches high. Maturing for the table 64 days from planting. Eating quality excellent.

**EASY MONEY** A fine new pea, with vines about 24 inches. It is easily 10 days earlier than Gradus, has a very dark green plump pod of large size, is a very good yielder, and an excellent shipper. The vines are dark in color and uniform in size.

**LAXTON'S SUPERB or EARLY BIRD** A hardy, productive, semi-wrinkled variety with large dark green pods. Can be planted earlier in the spring, and will withstand cold, wet weather.

**PIONEER** An early dwarf pea of excellent flavor. Vines 16 inches high, pods  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches long.

**ALASKA** This is a very early smooth seeded variety. Pods  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches, light color, blunt at the end, set single. Vine 28 inches, 57 days from planting to table. The most popular canners' sort.



Easy Money

**THOMAS LAXTON** This is one of the finest eating and most productive peas of the early market garden sorts. The pods are  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, blunt shaped, dark colored, set single. Mature for the table in about 60 days from planting. The seed is good size, wrinkled and cream yellow and green. Eating quality the best.

**GRADUS** A wrinkled seeded variety of exceptional eating quality. Large dark green pods, set single on vines about 30 inches in height of a light green color.

**WORLD'S RECORD** Similar to Gradus, about 4 days later.

**EARLY JUNE** Early, pods  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, blunt, light colored and set single. Vine 26 inches high. 56 days from planting to table. Seed round, smooth and creamy yellow.

**PILOT** Smooth seed, big pod.

**NOTT'S EXCELSIOR** Fine for home garden. Heavy yielder. Pods  $2\frac{3}{4}$  inches, blunt end, light, set single. Vines 14 inches and dark green. 58 days to the table.

**SUTTON'S EXCELSIOR** Fine variety for home garden. Pods a trifle light green for market gardeners. Pods  $3\frac{1}{4}$  inches, broad and blunt, light color and set single. Vines 18 inches. 64 days to the table.

PEAS	Lb. 14 lbs. 56 lbs.		
Laxton's Progress .....	.30	3.50	12.00
Laxtonian .....	.25	3.25	11.00
Peter Pan .....	.25	3.25	11.00
Easy Money .....	.30	3.50	12.00
Laxton's Superb .....	.30	3.50	12.00
Pioneer .....	.25	3.25	11.00
*Alaska .....	.20	2.50	9.00
Thomas Laxton .....	.25	3.00	10.00
Gradus .....	.25	3.00	10.00
World's Record .....	.25	3.00	10.00
*Early June .....	.20	2.50	9.00
*Pilot .....	.25	3.25	11.00
Nott's Excelsior .....	.25	3.00	10.00
Sutton's Excelsior .....	.25	3.25	11.00
*Smooth seeded—60 lbs. per bushel.			

WE RECOMMEND EASY MONEY PEAS



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## PEAS

### SECOND EARLY VARIETIES

**AMERICAN WONDER** For home garden use only. Pods  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches, blunt, light color, set single. Vine 12 inches, dark color. 60 days to the table.

**LITTLE MARVEL** Suitable for both home and market gardeners. Pods 3 inches, blunt, very dark, sets both single and double. Vines 17 inches, and very dark. 62 days to the table.

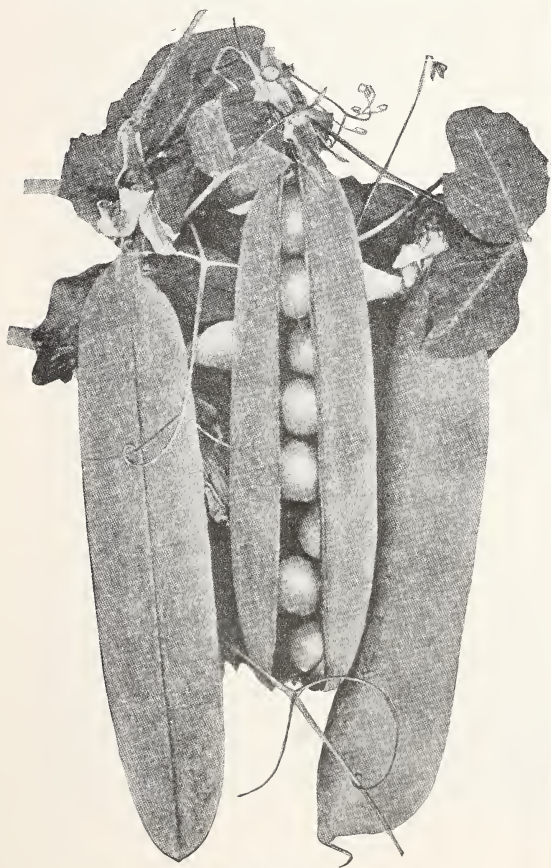
**PREMIUM GEM** Two weeks later than American Wonder. Vines 15 to 18 inches. Pods  $2\frac{3}{4}$  inches long.

**McLEAN'S LITTLE GEM** Similar to Premium Gem, but slightly less desirable. Vines 18 inches.

**AMEER** For home and market gardeners. Pod 3 inches, pointed, slightly curled, set single. Vine 30 inches, dark. Smooth seed. 60 days to the table.

**McLEAN'S ADVANCER** For market gardeners and canners. Pods  $2\frac{3}{4}$  inches, blunt, light color, mostly single. Vine 24 inches and dark. 68 days to the table.

**CANADA FIELD** For feeding. Vine 48 in.



Laxton's Progress

### LATE VARIETIES

**IMPROVED TELEPHONE** The leading large podded main crop sort. Pods 5 inches, pointed, very dark, set single. Vines 42 inches, dark and heavy. 71 days to the table.

**ADMIRAL DEWEY** Remarkably productive. Large podded. Vines 42 inches. table.

**DUKE OF ALBANY** Very similar to Improved Telephone.

**ALDERMAN** Very fine large podded market gardeners' main crop pea. Pods  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches, pointed, very dark, set single. Vines 40 inches, medium dark. 72 days to the table.

**PRINCE EDWARD** Fine main crop gardeners' sort. Pods  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches, pointed dark, set single. Vines dark in color, 42 inches high. 72 days to the table.

**DWARF TELEPHONE** Fine for home or market gardens. General habits of the Telephone, but a dwarf vine. Pods  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches, pointed, and slightly curved. Light green color and set single and double. Vines 20 inches, 72 days to the table.

**IMPROVED STRATAGEM** Pods  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in.

**CHAMPION OF ENGLAND** A strong-growing and much branched vine, 4 to 5 feet tall, bearing an immense crop of fine pods measuring  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 inches long.

SECOND EARLY SORTS	Lb.	14 lbs.	56 lbs.
American Wonder .....	.25	3.00	10.00
Little Marvel .....	.25	3.00	10.00
Premium Gem .....	.25	3.00	10.00
McLean's Little Gem ....	.25	3.00	10.00
*Ameer .....	.25	3.00	10.00
McLeans's Advancer ....	.25	3.00	10.00
LATE SORTS			
Improved Telephone .....	.25	3.00	10.00
Admiral Dewey .....	.25	3.00	10.00
Duke of Albany .....	.25	3.00	10.00
Prince Edward .....	.25	3.00	10.00
Alderman .....	.25	3.00	10.00
Dwarf Telephone .....	.25	3.00	10.00
Improved Stratagem ....	.25	3.00	10.00
Champion of England....	.25	3.00	10.00
*Canada Field .....	—	1.25	4.00

\*Smooth Seeded—60 lbs. per bushel.

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## Milford, Connecticut

### SWEET PEAS



For general use we recommend our choice Spencer Mixed, which will give you a fine variety of colors.

Plant as early in the Spring as possible. Never allow the roots to become dry.

**SPENCER'S MIXED (Extra Choice)** A splendid mixture of Spencer varieties. Our mixture combines a wide range of colors.

**ECKFORD'S FINE MIXED** A good mixture.

#### STRAIGHT COLORS, SPENCER TYPES

**AUSTIN FREDERICK IMP.** Lavender.

**KING WHITE,** White.

**HEBE,** Bright pink.

**CAMPFIRE,** Scarlet.

**MISS CALIFORNIA,** Salmon-pink.

**MRS. TOM JONES,** Blue.

### NASTURTIUM

**DWARF MIXED** Fancy, low growing type.

**TALL MIXED** Fancy, climbing type.

### RADISH—WINTER VARIETIES

**ROUND BLACK SPANISH** We have a very choice stock of this popular Winter radish. It grows a top-shaped radish, 3 to 4 inches in diameter, and 3½ inches long. The skin is a very rich, handsome black color, and the flesh a very clear white. Fine flavor, and a splendid Winter keeper. We recommend this to our customers for a Winter radish.

**LONG BLACK SPANISH** A late and hardy Winter radish. Seven to nine inches long, 2 to 3 inches in diameter.

**HALF LONG BLACK** Fine stock. Roots grayish black color, 4 to 5 inches long, 2 to 3 inches in diameter.

**CHINA ROSE** Roots cylindrical, bright rose color. For Winter use.



French Breakfast

SWEET PEAS	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Spencer's Mixed .....	.10	.15	.30	1.00
Eckford's Mixed .....	.05	.10	.25	.65
Straight Colors, each...	.10	.30	1.00	3.75
NASTURTIUM				
Dwarf Mixed .....	.05	.10	.25	.85
Tall Mixed .....	.05	.10	.25	.85
WINTER RADISH				
Round Black Spanish...	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Long Black Spanish...	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Half Long Black.....	.10	.20	.60	2.00
China Rose .....	.10	.15	.30	1.00



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## RADISH—SUMMER VARIETIES

**SPECIAL EARLY SCARLET GLOBE** The roots, when market size, have a perfect deep red color and a perfect globe shape. We recommend this radish to market gardeners serving a critical market, as it will always bring the top price.

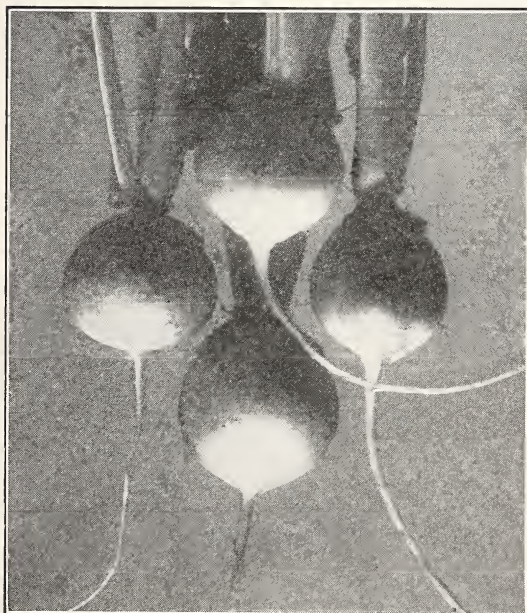
**EARLY SCARLET GLOBE** As usually sold, but not quite equal to our special stock.

**SPECIAL FORCING SCARLET GLOBE** A small topped radish selected and bred especially for hot house use.

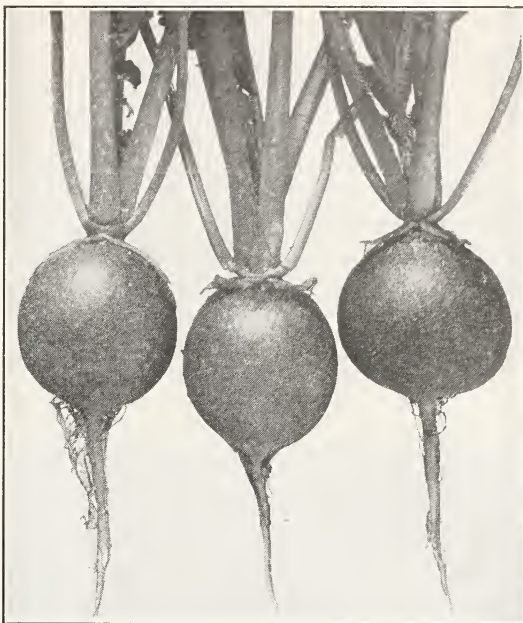
**SCARLET GLOBE WHITE TIP** An early Scarlet Globe variety with root and bottom of radish a clear white, running nearly half way up the side. Very popular with gardeners whose market calls for a white tipped radish.

**SCARLET TURNIP WHITE TIP** Turnip shaped scarlet with distinct white tip.

**FRENCH BREAKFAST** Olive shaped variety, about 1½ inches long. A quick grower, deep scarlet color shading out to a slightly white tip. See photograph on opposite page.



Scarlet Globe White Tip



Early Scarlet Globe-Selected

**WHITE ICICLE** Waxy white, long roots, tapering down from the shoulder. Five to six inches long, with small tops. Flesh very crisp and tender.

**CRIMSON GIANT** A large, early round sort of the Scarlet Globe type. Grows twice the size, but is a little later and has more top, which makes it undesirable for forcing, but an excellent outdoor sort. It remains solid longer than any of the early round red varieties. Color bright red.

**WHITE STRASSBURG** A popular Fall variety. Roots fairly long, 4 to 6 inches. One to two inches in diameter.

**GIANT WHITE STUTTGART** A large top-shaped variety of clear white color, for Summer or Fall use.

RADISH	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Spec. Ea. Scarlet Globe..	.05	.10	.25	.85
Early Scarlet Globe.....	.05	.10	.20	.65
Spec. Forcing Scarlet Globe	.10	.15	.30	1.00
Scarlet Globe White Tip.	.05	.10	.25	.75
Scarlet Turnip White Tip	.05	.10	.25	.75
French Breakfast .....	.05	.10	.25	.75
White Icicle .....	.05	.10	.20	.60
Crimson Giant .....	.10	.15	.25	.90
White Strassburg .....	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Giant White Stuttgart ..	.10	.15	.30	1.00

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### SQUASH—SUMMER VARIETIES

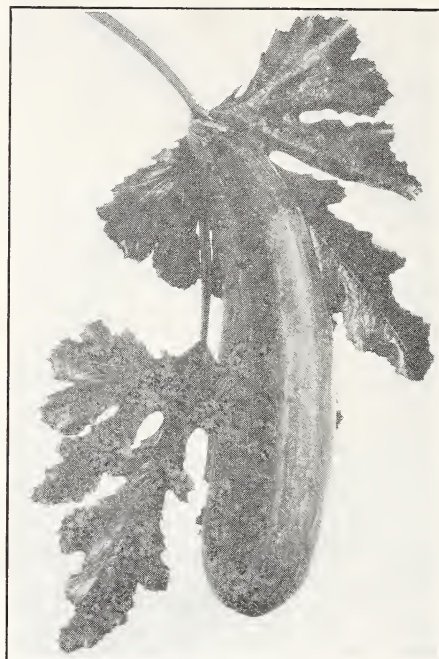
**SUMMER CROOKNECK** The well known standard sort, early and productive. Fruit about 10 inches long.

**GIANT SUMMER CROOKNECK** The most popular sort. Larger and darker colored than other varieties. Vines are of bush habit, larger and more vigorous than Summer Crookneck. Fruit when mature about 18 inches, with very warty surface. A favorite market garden sort.



Summer Straightneck Squash

**SUMMER STRAIGHTNECK** We have spent much time and effort to bring out a summer squash which has little or no crook. Many of our good customers have been demanding a squash of this sort, as they have found that the crook necks are frequently broken, with attendant loss to them. We now have a straightneck sort to offer, grown by ourselves here at Milford. In all respects except the neck, it is the same as Giant Summer Crookneck. We heartily recommend it for your use.



Italian Vegetable Marrow (Cocozelle)

**ITALIAN VEGETABLE MARROW (Cocozella Di Napoli)** The vines are of bush habit and produce large elongated fruits, dark green at first, but as they mature become marbled with yellow and light green stripes. This is a special selection grown by us at Milford for the most particular trade. It is a bush type with no runners. Produces yellow blossoms, and the fruit is 15 inches long when mature. The leaf is deeply cut, with light green veins.

**ITALIAN COCOZZA LONGE** This is the favorite Italian Marrow and is generally allowed to run over brush supports or fences. It is quite ornamental when trained over the pergola or arbor, furnishing both shade and edible fruits; cream color, 2 to 3 feet long and 3 to 4 inches in diameter.

**EARLY WHITE BUSH SCALLOP** Called Cymbing in the south, sometimes called Patty Pan. The shape is round, about 4 inches thick, 8 to 10 inches across, scalloped on the edges, with frequent warts on both sides. Color, creamy white,

	Pkt.	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	Lb.
Summer Crookneck .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Giant Sum. Crookneck ..	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Summer Straightneck ..	.10	.20	.75	2.50
Italian Veg. Marrow ....	.10	.20	.75	2.50
Italian Cocozza Longe ..	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Ea. White Bush Scallop ..	.10	.15	.40	1.25



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### SQUASH—FALL AND WINTER VARIETIES

**HUBBARD** Standard Winter sort. Similar to Warty Hubbard, except that the shell is not rough.

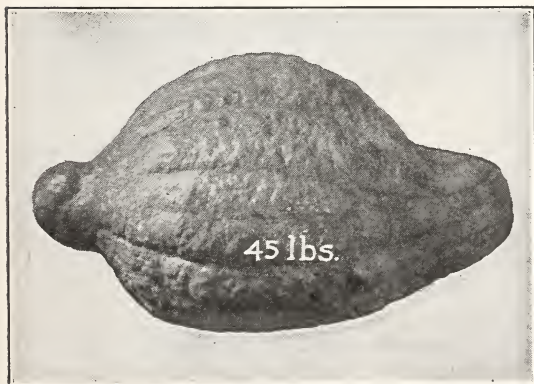
**GOLDEN HUBBARD** Shaped like all the Hubbard family. The shell is a rich orange color, and the flesh a deep orange of excellent quality.

**WARTED HUBBARD** The most popular Winter sort for market and general purpose use. The shape same as the rest of the Hubbard family, with a very dark green color, heavily warted. The flesh is very thick, fine grain, bright orange in color.

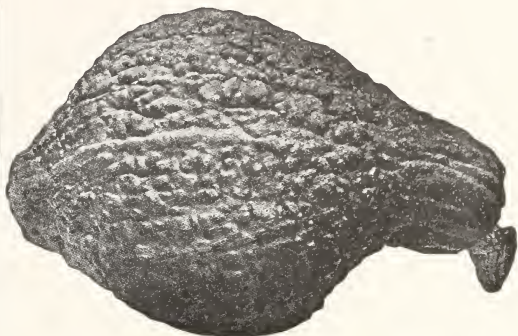
**SIMM'S BLUE HUBBARD** Has the same general shape as all the Hubbard squashes. The outer shell has a very attractive bluish green color; the meat is thick and golden orange. Very dry cooker and an excellent keeper, maturing early. We have taken great pains in selecting our Blue Hubbard squash.

**BOSTON MARROW** Size and form like Hubbard, bright orange in color. Firm yellow flesh. Popular with canners and with bakers for pies.

**DES MOINES MARKET** Also called **Table Queen** This is a small acorn-shaped dark green squash, about 5 or 6 inches long and 4 inches in diameter. The vines are vigorous. It makes excellent pies, can be cooked whole when young and keeps well. Try baking them whole and eating like grape-fruit.



Simm's Blue Hubbard



Warty Hubbard Squash

**DELICIOUS** Top-shaped in form, medium size, dark green shell, orange colored flesh.

### SALSIFY OR OYSTER PLANT

**MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND** Roots are two to three times the size of the ordinary salsify, and of more agreeable flavor. Our stocks are grown on our own ranches.

### SORREL

We recommend to you our special stock of Narrow Leaf Sorrel. Some years ago we started growing these special selected stocks on our farms here at Milford, and the superiority of our stock has increased our sales year by year until we are now selling annually very large quantities.

**NARROW LEAF (Silver Leaf)** Our own Milford grown strain.

**BROAD LEAF** The ordinary sorrel.

SQUASH	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Hubbard .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Golden Hubbard .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Warty Hubbard .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Simm's Blue Hubbard ..	.10	.25	.75	2.00
Boston Marrow .....	.10	.15	.25	.80
Des Moines Market ....	.10	.25	.75	2.00
Delicious .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
SALSIFY				
Mam. Sandwich Island..	.10	.20	.60	2.00
SORREL				
Narrow Leaf .....	.10	.35	1.25	4.00
Broad Leaf .....	.10	.30	1.00	3.00

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### SPINACH

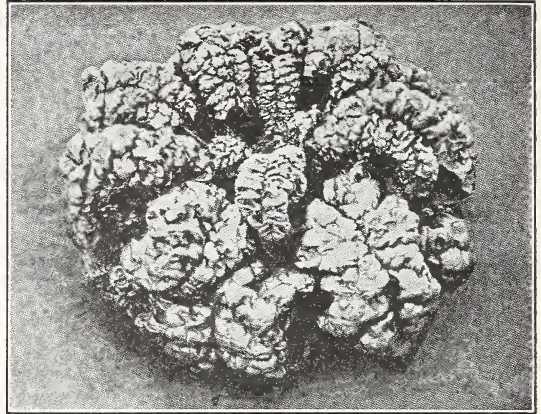
**NOBEL GIANT LEAVED** A large leaved type, somewhat like the old Viroflay, but is larger, stands longer and is much bulkier.

**FILLBASKET** Extremely productive, of strong growth, with large, slightly crumpled leaves of medium green color. Matures very early.

**ROUND THICK LEAF** The old standard thick leaved Spring Spinach.

**MONSTROUS VIROFLAY** Suitable for either Spring or Fall sowing. Leaves thick, broad, and nearly round. Dark color. One of the older types of spinach, on the Thick Leaf order.

**JULIANA** This is of the Long Season type, having a large, beautiful, crumpled leaf. It has that beautiful, rich, dark green color. Remarkable for its rapid uniform growth and because it stands hot weather without bolting to seed longer than any other sort. Good for either Spring or Fall planting.



Re-Selected Savoy

**LONG SEASON** A new and popular variety similar to Bloomsdale, with a broad and larger leaf, less curled, but will stand longer before bolting to seed.

**RE-SELECTED SAVOY (Bloomsdale)** This is one of the best types of Savoy spinach we have ever seen. Superior to the regular stocks of Savoy on account of its dark green color, early crumpled leaves and the fact that it remains longer in the cutting state before going to seed.

#### BLOOMSDALE LONG STANDING SAVOY

A new variety resembling the regular Savoy Leaf, but having a more compact growth, the leaves being a very intense green. It is the darkest we have ever seen. Does not grow as rapidly as Reselected Savoy, but stands the heat better. It will stand in prime condition several weeks after other sorts have shot to seed.



Juliana

	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	Lb.	100 lbs.
Nobel Giant Leaved..	.05	.10	.30	25.00
Fillbasket .....	.05	.10	.30	25.00
Round Thick Leaf...	.05	.10	.25	20.00
Monstrous Viroflay..	.05	.10	.25	20.00
Juliana .....	.05	.10	.30	25.00
Long Season .....	.05	.10	.25	20.00
Reselected Savoy...	.05	.10	.30	25.00
Bloomsdale Long				
Standing Savoy....	.05	.10	.35	30.00

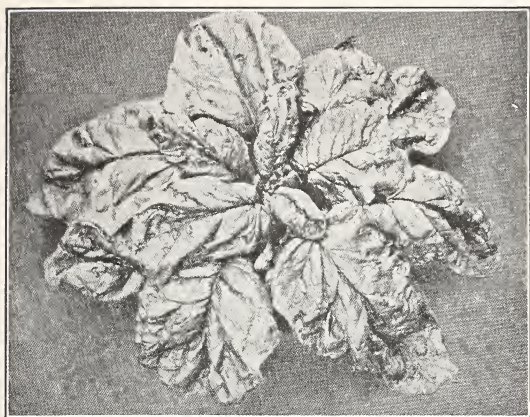
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## Milford, Connecticut

### SPINACH



Round Thick Leaf

**WOODRUFF'S HOT WEATHER** Plants grow very compact, upright and brittle. The leaves are thick, crumpled, and solid. It grows considerably quicker than King of Denmark and withstands the hot weather even better. The picture below shows Woodruffs Hot Weather Spinach in comparison with the ordinary Savoy Spinach (at the left). You will see that the Savoy has shot to seed, with the three rows of our Hot Weather still standing in prime condition for cutting. We strongly recommend this variety for Summer plantings.

**KING OF DENMARK** A rather slow growing spinach, but remains in nice condition from one to two weeks after some varieties have shot to seed. The plant greatly resembles Long Season. Leaves are thick and stand up well after cutting.



Woodruff's Hot Weather Spinach

**VICTORIA** .An excellent variety, forming large, exceedingly thick and dark green leaves, slightly crumpled in the center. Plant grows large and compact, maturing in intermediate season. Leaves usually blunt or rounded at the end, seed round.

**BLIGHT RESISTANT SAVOY** This is a strain produced by the Virginia Experiment Station. The type is not thoroughly fixed, but it shows a remarkable tendency to resist blight. It goes to seed rather quickly.

**NEW ZEALAND** This is unlike true spinach in type, as it thrives nicely during hot weather, and in almost any soil, rich or poor. The tender shoots are of fine quality, and you can keep cutting them throughout the Summer. Plant becomes very large and spreading with medium sized broad, pointed leaves. Plant 3 or 4 seeds in hills 2 feet apart each way. You can hasten the germination by soaking in warm water for 12 hours. This is a remarkably nice spinach for the home garden, giving you a cutting spinach all Summer.



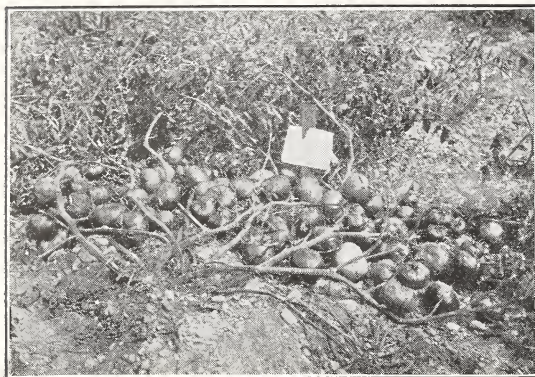
Bloomsdale Long Standing Savoy Spinach

	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	Lb.	100 lbs.
King of Denmark...	.05	.10	.30	25.00
Victoria .....	.05	.10	.25	20.00
BlightResistant Savoy	.05	.10	.30	25.00
Woodruff's Hot				
Weather .....	.05	.10	.30	25.00
New Zealand .....	.05	.15	.50	45.00

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## Milford, Connecticut

### TOMATO



A Vine of Special Earliana

**SPECIAL EARLIANA** We are offering this year a special selection of Earliana which is fully half again as large as the old type of Earliana, has a thicker skin and ripens up to the stem end very free from cracks. Grows a small but vigorous vine, nearly globe shaped fruit, smooth, solid and a bright scarlet.

**EARLIANA** Very early deep scarlet variety.

**JOHN BAER** Resembles Bonnie Best, maturing about the same time.

**EARLY SUNRISE** A very fine early sort, three to five days earlier than Earliana. Similar habits, but a smoother strain.

**BONNIE BEST** One of the best early varieties. Ripens a little later than Earliana, with bright red smooth fruit, ripening even and close up to the stem. While not one of the earliest, it is one of the best all around tomatoes.

**CHALK'S EARLY JEWEL** This makes a fine medium early and main crop sort. Bright red fruit, ripens even, is solid and ships well. Holds its size well throughout the season which makes it a very heavy yielder. Our strain of Chalk's Early Jewel has been grown for us by the same farmer for a great many years, and we feel you can depend upon it.

**EARLY ACME** Early purple fruited.

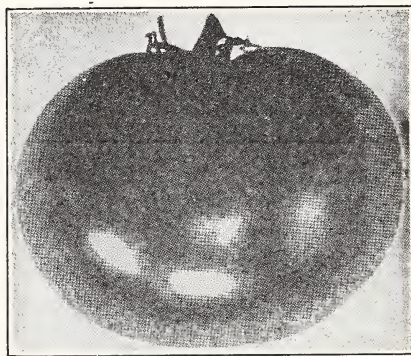
**MATCHLESS** Fine standard main crop. Large smooth solid fruit of a good red color. Ripens a little later than Stone.

**DWARF STONE** Dwarf vine, very vigorous and productive. Fruit bright red, smooth and solid. The largest fruiting of the dwarf vine varieties, and matures with the later sorts. The upright habit of growth in this tomato enables one to set the plants more closely together.

**DWARF CHAMPION** An early purple fruited variety with a strong erect bushy plant; medium sized fruit.

**LIVINGSTON'S BEAUTY** Large productive purple fruit; good main crop sort, where a purple tomato is wanted.

**LIVINGSTON'S GLOBE** A large purple fruited variety of splendid quality. Fruit large, round as an apple, and matures earlier than most main crop sorts. Very firm, solid, and a good shipper. This is one of the leading varieties grown throughout the South for shipment to the North. Our stock is excellent.



Bonnie Best

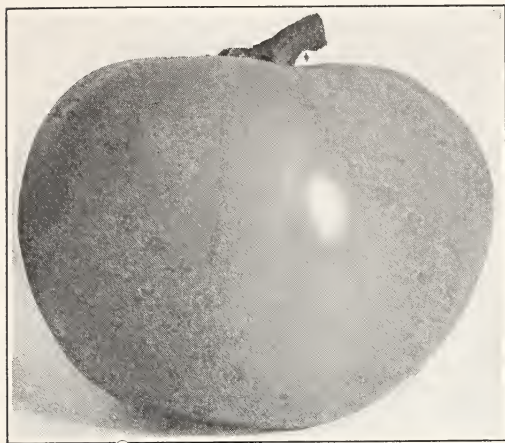
	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Special Earliana .....	.25	.75	2.75	10.00
Earliana .....	.15	.40	1.50	5.00
John Baer .....	.10	.30	1.00	3.50
Early Sunrise .....	.25	.75	2.75	10.00
Bonnie Best .....	.15	.40	1.50	5.00
Chalk's Early Jewel....	.10	.30	1.00	3.50
Early Acme .....	.10	.25	.75	2.50
Matchless .....	.10	.30	1.00	3.00
Dwarf Stone .....	.20	.50	1.75	6.00
Dwarf Champion .....	.15	.40	1.50	5.00
Livingston's Beauty ...	.10	.30	1.00	3.00
Livingston's Globe ....	.20	.50	1.75	6.00



# F. H. WOODRUFF & SONS

## Milford, Connecticut

### TOMATO



**Extra Selected Marglobe**

**EXTRA SELECTED MARGLOBE** The newest and finest tomato, introduced by the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, from whom was obtained the seed used in growing the stock we now offer. Marglobe has a deep globe shape (see the illustration above) and a beautiful scarlet color. A very heavy yielder of fine large tomatoes which have a small seed cavity and thick firm meat. They ripen well up to the stem. Marglobe is almost 100% resistant to blight and nailhead rust.

**MARGLOBE** Our regular strain, and a good one.

**GREATER BALTIMORE** An excellent main crop sort, producing solid, smooth fruit of brilliant red color, ripening evenly to the stem. Used extensively among canners.

**NEW STONE** This is the old standard late variety, and is still holding great popularity. Produces a large crop of big, bright scarlet fruit.

**RED ROCK** Ripe fruit in about 110 days from sowing. Solid smooth tomato of bright red color.

**PONDEROSA** Very large fruit. Strictly a home garden sort.

**GOLDEN QUEEN** A rather tasteless yellow tomato, of good size and quite a heavy yielder.

### PICKLING OR PRESERVING VARIETIES

**YELLOW PLUM** Plum-shaped, yellow.

**RED PLUM** Plum-shaped, red.

**RED CHERRY** Size large, cherry red.

**YELLOW CHERRY** Similar to Red Cherry, except in color.

**STRAWBERRY or HUSK** Small yellow fruit which are produced in a husk.

**RED PEAR** Red pear-shaped.

**YELLOW PEAR** Yellow pear-shaped.



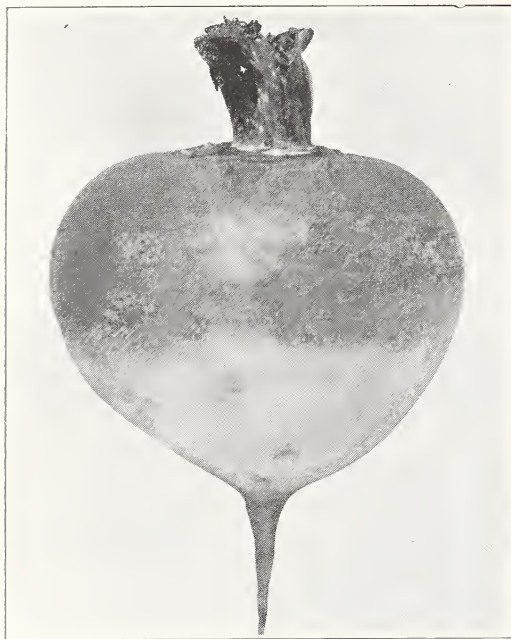
**Livingston's Globe**

	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Extra Sel. Marglobe...	.20	.75	2.75	10.00
Marglobe .....	.20	.40	1.50	5.00
Greater Baltimore ....	.10	.40	1.25	4.00
New Stone .....	.10	.40	1.25	4.00
Red Rock .....	.10	.40	1.25	4.00
Ponderosa .....	.20	.60	2.00	7.50
Golden Queen .....	.15	.40	1.50	5.00
All Pickling or				
Preserving Varieties	.20	.60	2.25	8.00

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## Milford, Connecticut

### TURNIP, FALL VARIETIES—WHITE FLESH SORTS



Reselected Red Top White Globe

#### RESELECTED RED TOP WHITE GLOBE

Our stock of Red Top White Globe is grown on our Milford farms. It has the particular feature of having a very bright red top which goes well down on the turnip, making it very attractive in appearance.

**RED TOP WHITE GLOBE** Our regular stock.

**WHITE EGG** Early oval sort; smooth, clean, white roots which grow half out of the ground; small tops; flesh fine grained and sweet. Extra selected stock.

**LONG WHITE or COW HORN** Carrot-shaped root growing half above the ground, white and sweet. A very good table variety.

#### EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH (Strap Leaf)

White all over, flat grower; good for early crop.

#### EARLY PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAF

Well known early sort. Largely used in all sections.

#### EARLY PURPLE TOP MILAN

The earliest turnip; bulb white, flat, of medium size, with a bright purple top; very sweet and fine flavor; used in Summer for bunching.

#### EARLY WHITE MILAN

Similar to Purple Top White Milan, except that it is all white.

### YELLOW FLESH SORTS

#### YELLOW ABERDEEN

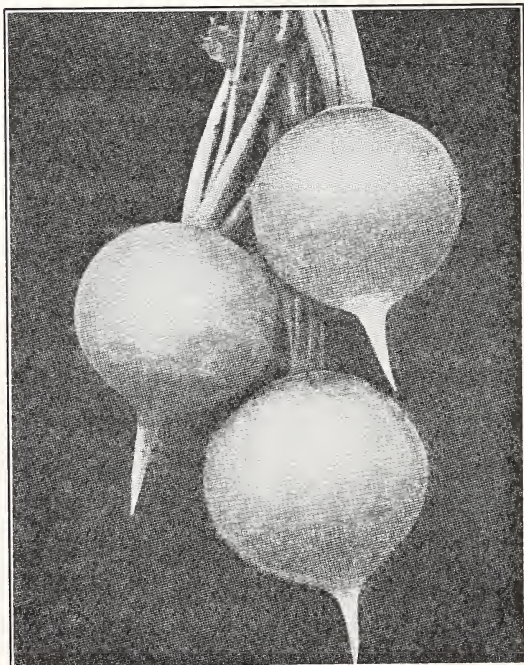
Globe shaped with purple top; yellow flesh, sweet but somewhat coarse; excellent for stock; large cropper.

#### YELLOW GLOBE

A splendid sort for general crop; good keeper; bright yellow flesh.

#### GOLDEN BALL

Delicately flavored; small top; medium sized root; round and very smooth; very deep yellow; crisp and firm.



Golden Ball

WHITE FLESH	Pkt.	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	Lb.
Resel. Red Top W. Globe	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Red Top White Globe...	.05	.10	.25	.75
White Egg .....	.05	.10	.25	.75
Cow Horn .....	.05	.10	.25	.75
Early White Flat Dutch.	.05	.10	.25	.75
Ea. Purple Top Strap Leaf	.05	.10	.25	.75
Ea. Purple Top Milan....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
Early White Milan .....	.10	.15	.40	1.25
YELLOW FLESH				
Yellow Aberdeen .....	.05	.10	.25	.75
Yellow Globe .....	.05	.10	.25	.75
Golden Ball .....	.05	.10	.25	.75



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## Milford, Connecticut

### TURNIP

#### RUTA BAGA OR SWEDE VARIETIES

##### LONG ISLAND IMPROVED Special Select.

This stock renowned for its fine round shape, bright yellow color, fine grain and sweetness. Matures rapidly and has practically no neck. One of the finest ruta bagas we have ever seen. Ruta bagas grown from this seed for a number of years have had a ready sale in New York markets at 50c to 75c per barrel above all other stocks.

**SWEET GERMAN** Medium size, white flesh, slow growth. Green above ground, white below.

**BREADSTONE or BUDLONG** Fine grained white. American favorite.

**WHITE ROCK** Excellent white variety.

**AMERICAN PURPLE TOP** A strain of American origin, and resembling Long Island Improved Ruta Baga.

**YELLOW FRENCH** Like White French except in color.

**WHITE FRENCH** Firm, hard, sweet flesh. For table or stock.



Long Island Improved Ruta Baga

### TURNIP GREENS

**SEVEN TOP** Sometimes called Broccoli Raab for fall sowing and spring cutting. Extensively used in the South for greens. Also as feed for stock. Very hardy. Not grown for the roots.

**SPRING BROCCOLI RAAB** Similar to Seven Top Turnip, but superior for spring planting. Has a compact head and throws a yellow blossom before going to seed.

RUTA BAGAS	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
Long Island Improved ..	.10	.20	.60	2.00
Sweet German .....	.05	.10	.25	.75
Breadstone or Budlong..	.05	.10	.25	.75
White Rock .....	.10	.15	.30	.90
American Purple Top ...	.05	.10	.25	.75
Yellow French .....	.05	.10	.25	.75
White French .....	.10	.15	.30	.90
TURNIP GREENS				
Seven Top .....	.05	.10	.25	.75
Spring Broccoli Raab....	.10	.35	.75	2.50

Include in your seed order the following items which we highly recommend:

IMPROVED KIDNEY WAX BEANS  
EARLY YELLOW SENSATION CORN

MILFORD GREEN LAWN SEED  
EASY MONEY PEAS

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## Milford, Connecticut

### GRASS AND FIELD SEEDS

You will readily understand that grass and field seeds fluctuate a great deal in price, and we cannot issue a catalog good for a year on an article of this kind. Prices quoted here are the ruling prices of January 1, 1930. These prices should be the current prices for the next four months. We shall be pleased to quote you our lowest prices on a quantity of grass seed at any time. Prices are net cash, f. o. b. Milford, no discount; subject to market fluctuations.

### CLOVERS

**MEDIUM RED (Domestic Seed.)** This is the most important and most commonly used variety of all the clovers. Can be sown in Spring or Fall. We recommend Spring sown clover, unless able to sow in August, as small clover seeds are apt to Winter-kill badly.

**MEDIUM RED (Imported Seed)** Recent national legislation forces dealers to dye all imported clover seed. Italian clover will not winter in this country; but clovers from Northern European countries seem to winter all right.

**ALSIKE** One of the most hardy of all clovers. Will stand well on moist soil. Domestic seed.

**WHITE** A small creeping variety. Very valuable for lawns and pasturage. Grows well anywhere but prefers moist soil.

**ALFALFA, COMMON** The plants grow 18 to 36 inches high. Furnishes excellent pasturage. In the form of hay, alfalfa is considered the best stock feed known. Needs one season to become established. Sow in northern latitudes from June to August.

**ALFALFA, GRIMM** This variety superior to regular alfalfa on account of its extreme hardiness, withstanding all sorts of climatic conditions in northern latitudes. Flowers variegated in color, with purple predominating.

CLOVERS	Per Lb.
Red Medium—Domestic Seed.....	.38
Red Medium—Imported Seed.....	.30
Alsiike .....	.38
White .....	.40
ALFALFA	
Common .....	.35
Grimm .....	.55

### OTHER GRASS SEEDS

**TIMOTHY, BISON BRAND** Per lb., 9c.  
**TIMOTHY, PINE TREE BRAND** Purity 99½%. Per lb., 10c.  
**RED TOP, FANCY RECLEANED** Per lb., 22c.  
**KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS** Per lb., 35c.  
**DOMESTIC RYE GRASS** Per lb., 18c.

### FIELD SEEDS

**LINCOLN OATS** Per bu. of 32 lbs., \$1.20.  
**BARLEY** Per bu. of 48 lbs., \$2.15.  
**BUCKWHEAT, JAPANESE** Per bu. of 48 lbs., \$2.75.  
**CANADA FIELD PEAS** Per bu. of 60 lbs., \$4.00.  
**WINTER WHEAT** Per bu. of 56 lbs., \$3.50.  
**SPRING WHEAT** Per bu. of 56 lbs., \$4.80.  
**RYE, FALL or WINTER** Per bu. of 56 lbs., \$2.25.  
**RAPE, DWARF ESSEX** Per lb., 12c.  
**VETCH, WINTER or HAIRY** Per lb., 20c.

### MILLETS

**JAPANESE** Per lb., 7c.  
**HUNGARIAN** Per lb., 6½c.  
**GERMAN** Per lb., 6c.

### BIRD SEEDS

**CANARY** Per lb., 10c.  
**RAPE** Per lb., 12c.  
**HEMP** Per lb., 9c.  
**SUNFLOWER** Per lb., 15c.

# VIGORO

*Specially prepared plant food*

Vigoro is a specially prepared plant food that furnishes to grass, trees, shrubbery, and flowers the plantfood elements necessary for maximum growth and flowering. Packed in 25, 50, and 100-pound cotton paper lined bags, and 5-lb. packages.

### CLEAN, ODORLESS, EASY TO APPLY

Complete directions for applying VIGORO for all plants are contained in every bag. VIGORO should be used at the rate of four pounds per 100 square feet (10 ft.x10 ft.) in the spring and fall.

50-lb. pkg., 60c; 25-lb. bag, \$2.00; 50-lb. bag, \$2.75; 100 lb. bag, \$6.00, f.o.b. Milford





You will find our Early Wonder Beet and Wonderful Celery  
the Greatest Leaders of Their Kind Known

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Include the name and address of a few seed planters with your order and we will include extra seeds to pay for the favor

For Seeds, Plants, Bulbs, Onion Sets, Seed Potatoes, Etc.

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# LAWN GRASS SEEDS

For Lawns, Golf Links, City  
Parks, Private Estates

Sow 200 to 250 lbs. per acre for new lawns  
One pound for 200 square feet

**MILFORD GREEN MIXTURE** A thoroughly first class mixture made of the best and cleanest grades of those varieties of seed best adapted to make a permanent lawn. One lb. carton 50c; 5 lb. bag \$2.00; 25 lb. bag \$10.00; 50 lbs. and over, 38c per lb.

**SHADY SPOT MIXTURE** This is a selection of fine grasses which thrive in the shade of trees or buildings where there is little sun. One lb. carton 75c; 5 lbs. or over, 60c per lb.

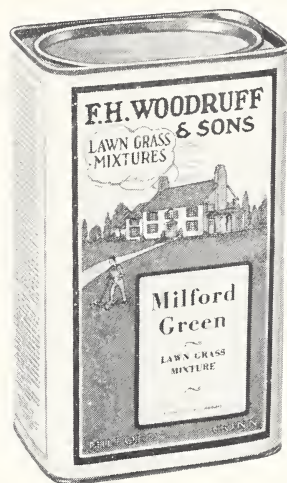
**COMPETITION MIXTURE** This is a Lawn Mixture made to compete with the lower priced lawn seed on the market. It is a good mixture for the price, sold in bulk only, 30c per lb.

**WHITE CLOVER** Per lb. 40c.

The essentials of a fine lawn are: **FIRST**, a wise selection of seed; **SECOND**, a rich, well drained soil; **THIRD**, careful preparation of the ground, making it as fine, mellow and smooth as possible; **FOURTH**, sowing it at a time so as to give the young plants a chance to become well established before being subjected to very dry or cold weather or a hot summer sun. From this on, the beauty of the lawn will be entirely dependent upon the care it receives in mowing, rolling, watering, etc.

If sowing the lawn in the spring, sow just as early as possible, while the soil has plenty of moisture. Care should be taken to keep it properly watered. If fall seeding is to be practised, sow early enough to enable the grass to become well established before the cold weather. We favor fall sowing.

We have taken great pains in making our Milford Green Lawn Mixture a very high grade seed and offer it either in pound tins as shown here or in bulk.



*WRITE FOR PRICES ON SPECIAL MIXTURES.*



## NEW JERSEY STANDARD MIXTURES

The New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station has recommended certain mixtures of grasses for various purposes, which we are able to supply. These mixtures are made up in accordance with formulae recommended by the Station in November 1929, and are standard for 1930.

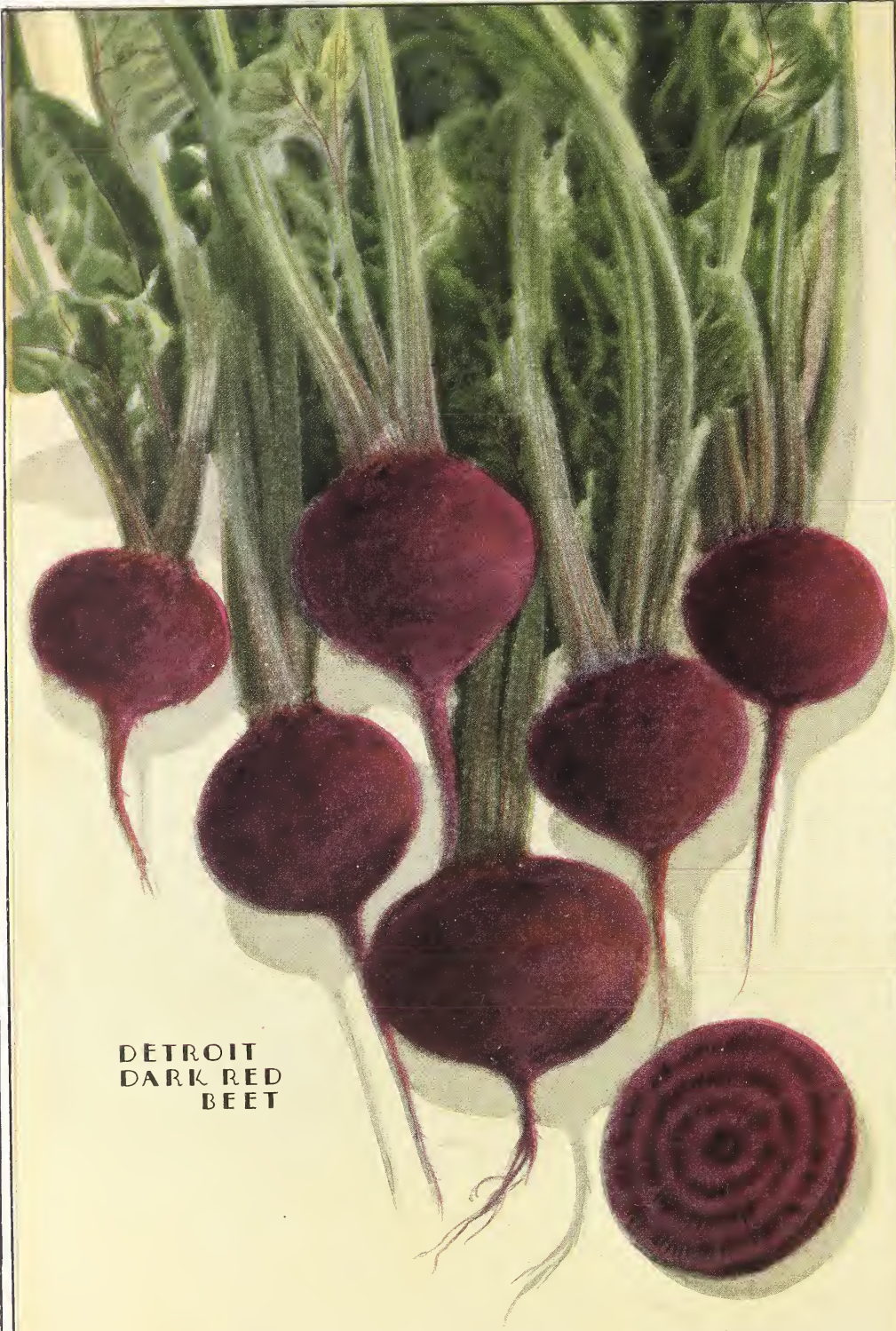
We offer the following standard mixtures in co-operation with the New Jersey Station in their effort to assist lawn makers in obtaining reliable lawn seed of reasonable purity and to avoid the cheap adulterated seeds often sold by the unreliable dealer. Cheap lawn seed will never produce a fine lawn.

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| NEW JERSEY No. 1 | <b>WITH White Clover.</b> For average lawns. Per lb., 60c.  |
| NEW JERSEY No. 1 | <b>WITHOUT White Clover.</b> Per lb., 50c.  |
| NEW JERSEY No. 2 | For extra fine lawns or for thickening old lawns. Per lb., \$1.00.  |
| NEW JERSEY No. 3 | For Shaded Areas. Per lb., 75c.   |
| NEW JERSEY No. 4 | For poor soils. By all means improve the soil, but if this cannot be done, No. 4 will usually produce a lawn. Per lb., 60c. |



**WHITE CLOVER** Per lb., 40c.

**PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND BENT** (*Agrostis Tenuis*) The finest form of Rhode Island Bent grass, grown on Prince Edward Island. Very hardy. Many of the finest lawns and putting greens have grown from this seed alone. Per lb., \$1.75. 5 lbs., \$8.50; 10 lbs., \$16.50; 50 lbs. (in Canadian Government sealed bags), \$65.00. Sow 2 lbs. per 1000 square feet of lawn, or 3 to 4 lbs. per 1000 square feet of green.



DETROIT  
DARK RED  
BEET

**WOODRUFF'S**  
**CONNECTICUT GROWN BEETS**